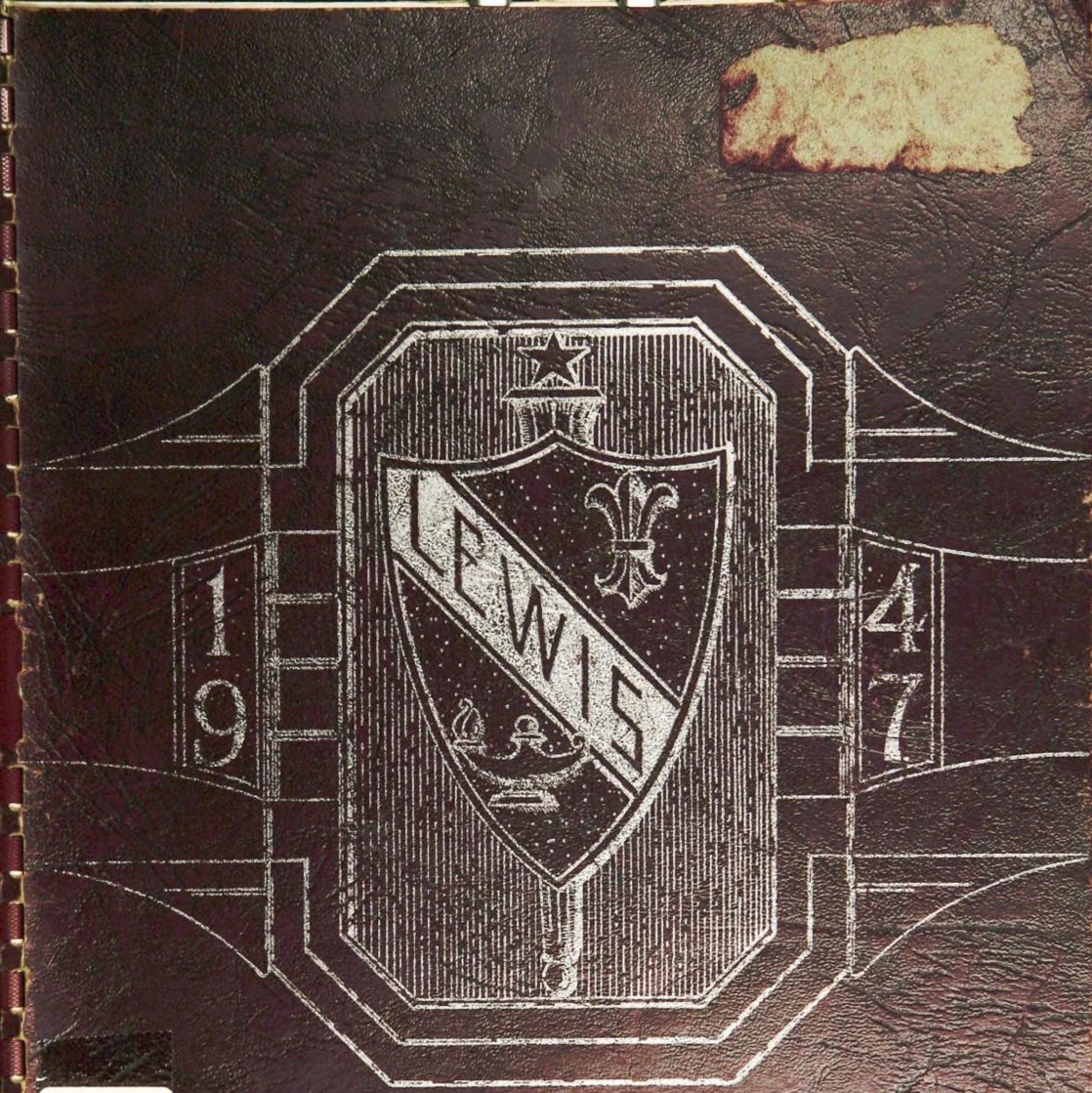

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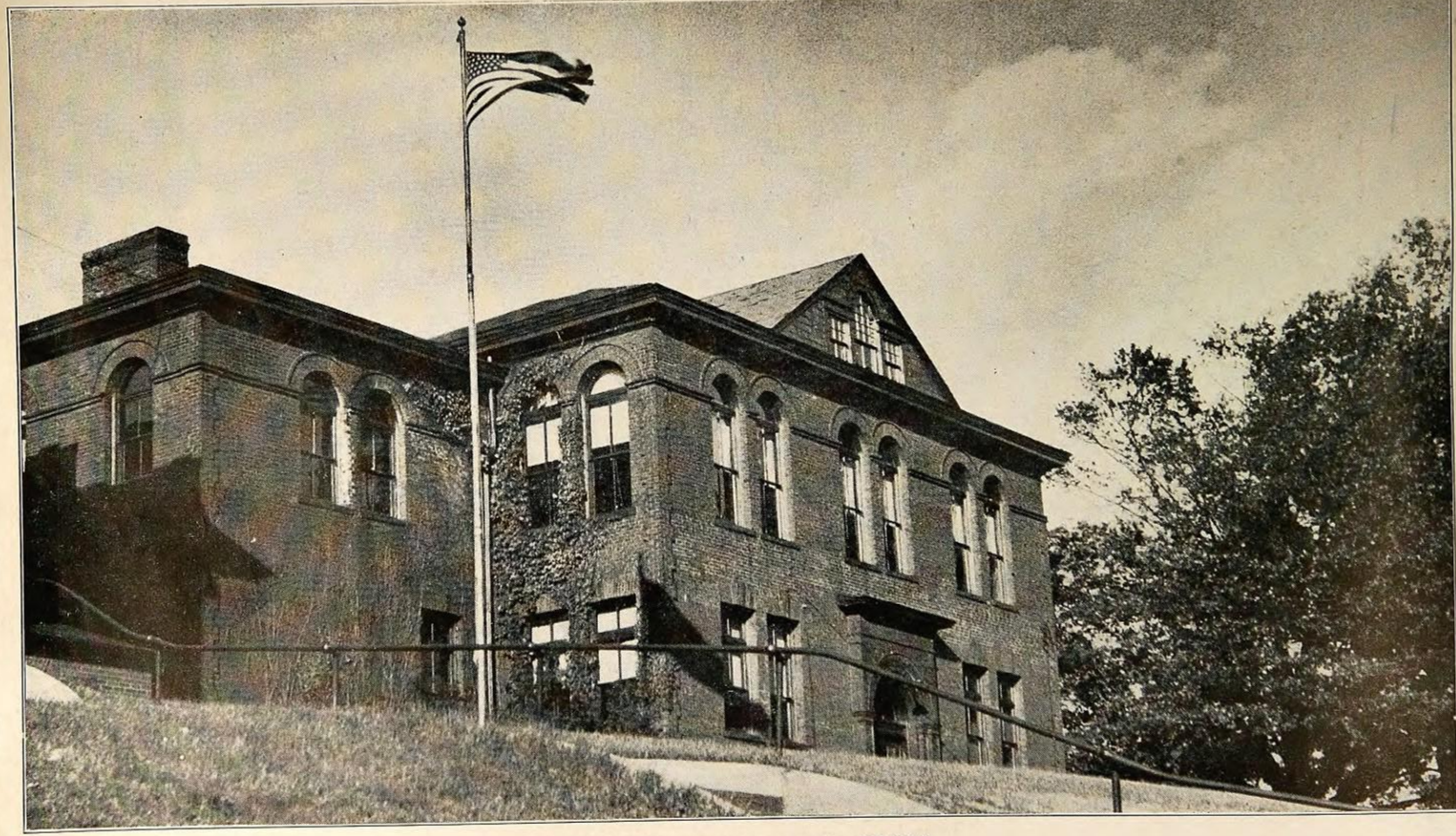

"The Institution on the Hill"

LEWIS HIGH SCHOOL

Southington, Conn.

The Chronicle of 1947

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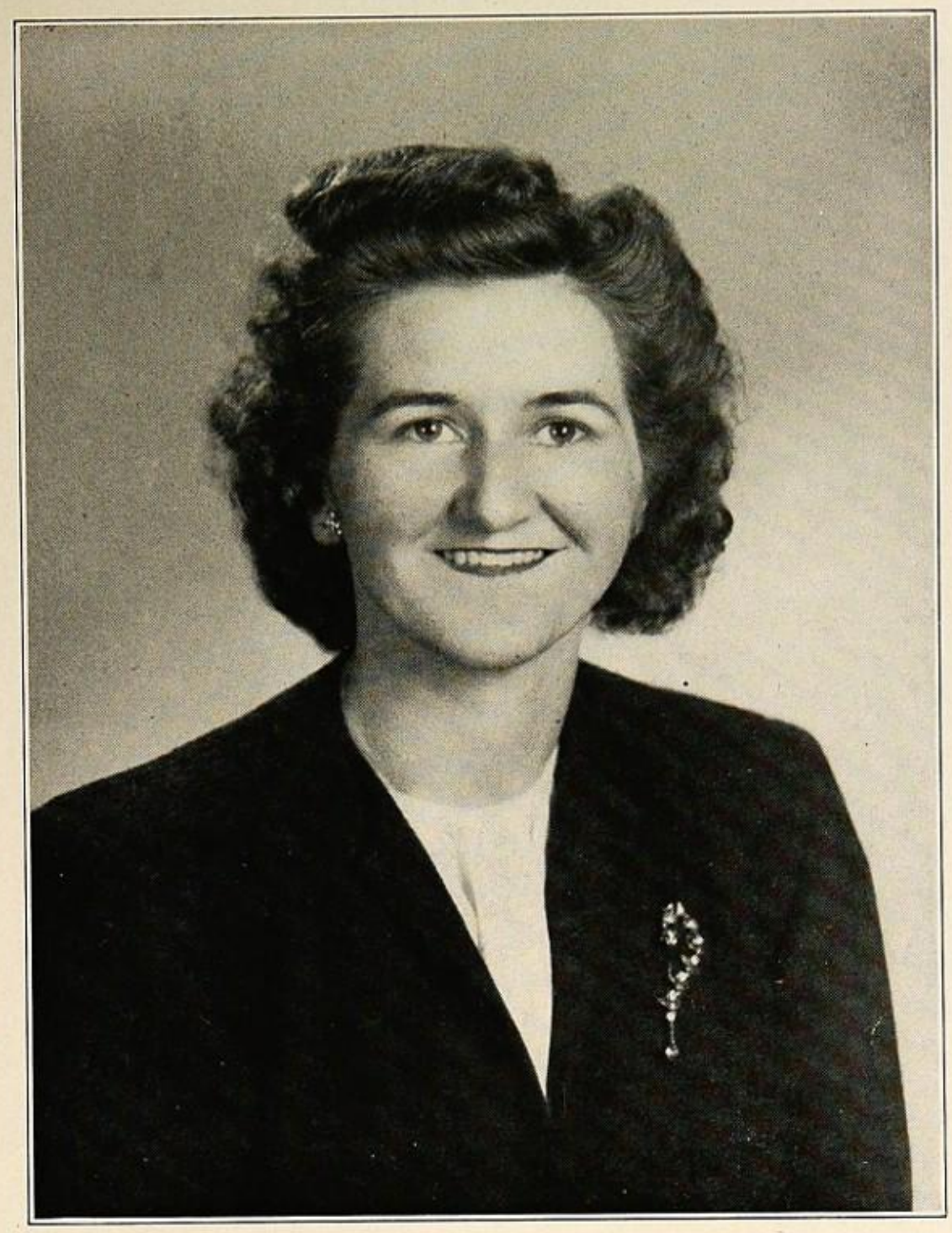


DEDICATION

We, the graduating class of 1947, dedicate our yearbook to our Class Advisor, Miss Madeline Collins, in appreciation of her genuine interest in the welfare of our class and for her untiring efforts in helping us to meet our numerous and varied problems.

The Chronicle

CLASS MOTTO

"The larger the island of knowledge
The longer the shoreline of success."

CLASS OFFICERS

President — Ralph Mann
Vice-President — Joseph O'Hala
Secretary — Raymond Kremski
Treasurer — Marion Marshall

YEARBOOK COMMITTEE

Bill Beltz
Robert Chalmers
Ann Marie Dlugos
Tony Feola
Antoinette Jankovich
Ruth Kenefick
Karyl Kawel
Jack Lotz
Ralph Mann
Dolores Meade
Joan Wendt
Mildred Zukowski

Advisor — Mr. Joyal

CLASS COLORS

Maroon and Silver

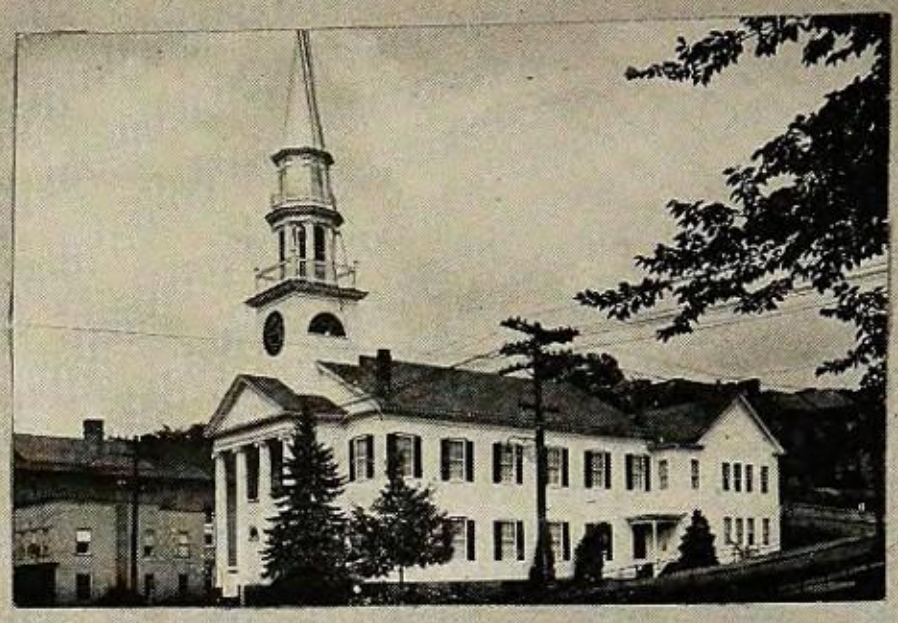
CLASS MARSHALS

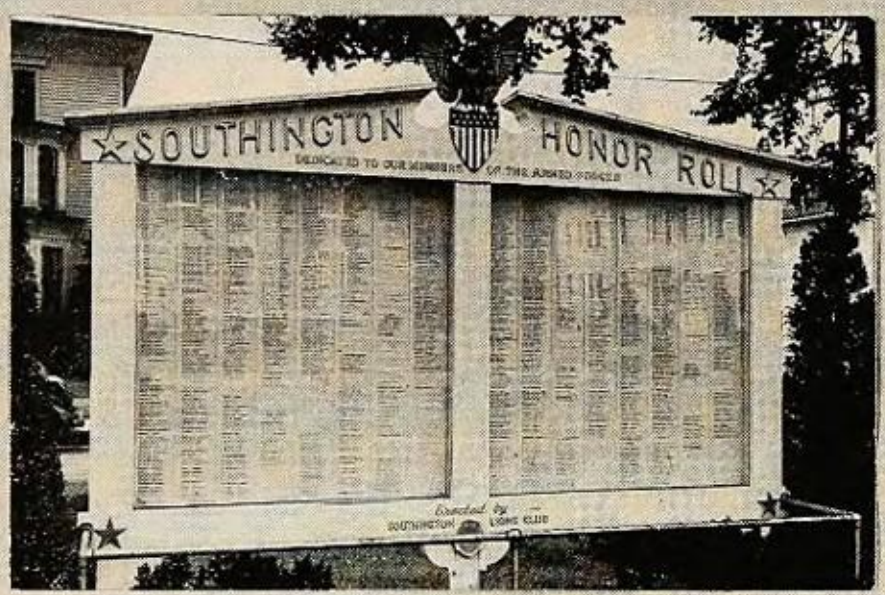
Lucille Laribee
John Kozlowski

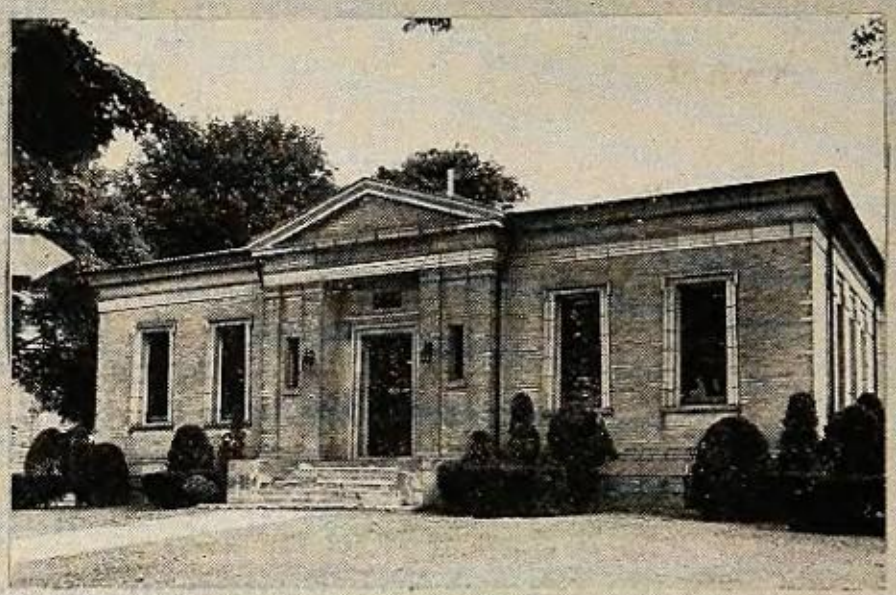
HELEN A. DEGERE
Class Advisor
1944-1946

DOROTHY BALLANTINE FICKETT
Class Advisor
1943-1944

It is with the sincerest appreciation for the kindness and understanding they showed us during the years they were our Class Advisors here at Lewis, that we thank Miss DeGere and Mrs. Fickett. They acted not only as our advisors, but also our friends.







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SOUTHINGTON

1947

For Those Who Gave Their Lives in World War II

WILLIAM U. BAILEY
LAWRENCE BOWERS
RUDOLPH CABATA
JOHN CALVANESE
DONALD A. DORMAN
PAUL F. FIONDELLA
PAUL HENRY FLYNN
STANLEY FOLCIK
FRANCIS J. GURA
PETER KIZILSKI
HAROLD L. LIMMER
MARIO MIRANDO
ROBERT MOON
CARMEN PALUMBO
CHARLES CLARK PARKER
ANTHONY PASQUALE
PAUL REUSSNER
PETER R. SPRATTO
WALTER STASILAWICZ
STEVEN SUCHAR, JR.
JOHN A. ZIEMBA

"Valedictorian"

ELIZABETH ORR STUART

"Liz"

"Ambition and brains go well together"

Born in Southington, Conn., June 13, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Home Nursing 3; First Aid 1; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4.

EDWARD JOSEPH BEAUDOIN

"Eddie"

"Tell your story and quit."

Born in Waterbury, Conn., October 18, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3.

WILLIAM ALBERT BELTZ married

"Bill"

"A laugh is worth a thousand groans in any state of market"

Born in Meriden, Conn., August 24, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; First Aid 1; Class Editor 1; Sport Dance 1; Class Vice-President 2; Home Nursing 3; St. Pat's Dance 3; French Club 3, 4; Chronicle Chairman 4; Senior Play 4; Emblem Staff 4.

married

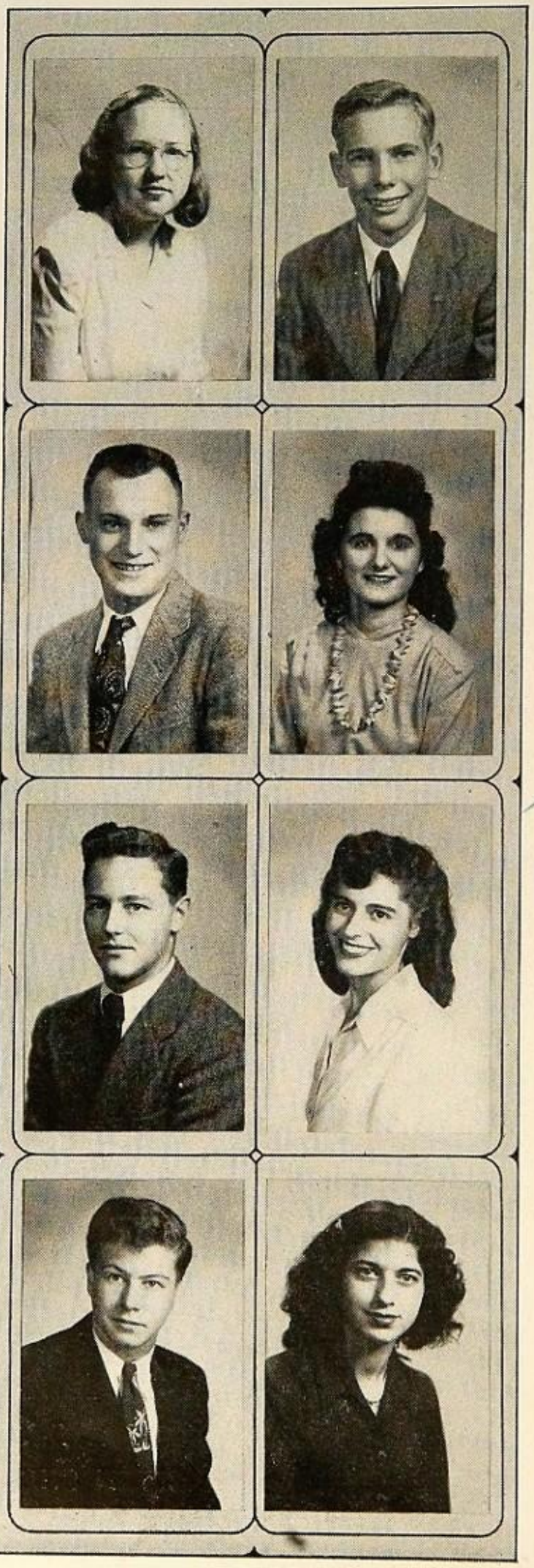
RALPH MARK CARBONE

"Sodie"

"A little mischief now and then — mostly all the time"

Born in Southington, Conn., March 22, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; Senior Play 4; Home Nursing 3; Class Treasurer 2; All State Chorus 2, 4.



"Salutatorian"

JACK COLDWELL LOTZ

"Jake"

"My mind to me a kingdom is"

Born in Plymouth, Mass., August 19, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; U. S. History Prize 3; Junior Prom Committee 3; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Junior Recital Prize 3; Emblem Staff 3, 4; Chronicle 4; Nutmeg Boy's State 3; French Club 3, 4.

EDITH ANN ALDI

"E"

"Her voice was ever soft and gentle."

Born in Southington, Conn., February 27, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 2; Senior Girls Club Treasurer.

married

DIANA FAITH ALEIA

"Flash"

"Begone dull care, Thou and I shall never agree"

Born in Southington, Conn., October 27, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; Freshmen Dance Committee 1; Sophomore Dance Committee 2; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Emblem Staff 3, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Junior Prom 3; Style Show 2; Nominating Committee 4; Home Nursing 3; Winter Wonderland Dance 4; Y Dramatic Club 3; St. Pat's Day Dance 3; President of Sewing Club 2.

married

JOSEPHINE KATHERINE ANDRES

"Jo"

"Always happy with lots of pep"

Born in Southington, Conn., November 2, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Concert 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 2; Home Nursing 3; Senior Girls' Club 4.

married

ROBERT STEVEN CHALMERS

NAVY "Porky"

"My only books were women's looks,
And folly's all they taught me"

Born in Meriden, Conn., September 28, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4 (Co-captain); Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 3; Vice-President 1; Junior Prom 3; Cap and Gown 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; Home Nursing 3; Chronicle 4; French Club 3.

GERALD FRANCIS CONATY

ARMY "Gerry" married

"Youth comes once in a lifetime"

Born in Meriden, Conn., November 20, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 3; Senior Prom 4; Home Nursing 3; Basketball 2; Cross Country 4.

PHILIP ANTHONY D'AGOSTINO

"Phil" married

"Good looks are a recommendation in the business of mankind"

Born in Southington, Conn., January 16, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Senior Dance 4.

married

RICHARD ARTHUR DEBISHOP

"Dick"

"The world will not progress without humor"

Born in Meriden, Conn., February 26, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 4; Minstrels 3, 4; Dance Committee 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; First Aid 2; Track 3, 4; All State Chorus 4.

engaged married

EVELYN GRACE BURKHARDT

"Burky"

"A star danced, and under that star she was born"

Born in Meriden, Conn., January 6, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4 (Secretary 3); Christmas Dance Committee 1; Junior Red Cross Representative 1; Sophomore Sport Dance Committee 2; Spring Dance Committee 2; Home Nursing 3; French Club 3, 4 (Secretary 3); Senior Girls' Club 4; Emblem 4; Class Night Committee 4.

Married

MARIE NANCY CARLO

"Nance"

"She has so free, so kind, so apt, so blessed a disposition"

Born in Southington, Conn., June 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sophomore Dance 2; Home Nursing 3; Class Night 4; First Aid 1; Hi "Y" 4; Style Show 3; Glee Club Concerts 1, 2, 3, 4.

Married Sept. 27, 1947

TERESA MARY DANKO

"Terry"

"Love and laughter are the essence of life"

Born in New Britain, Conn., October 22, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Senior Girls' Club 4; Home Nursing 3.

married

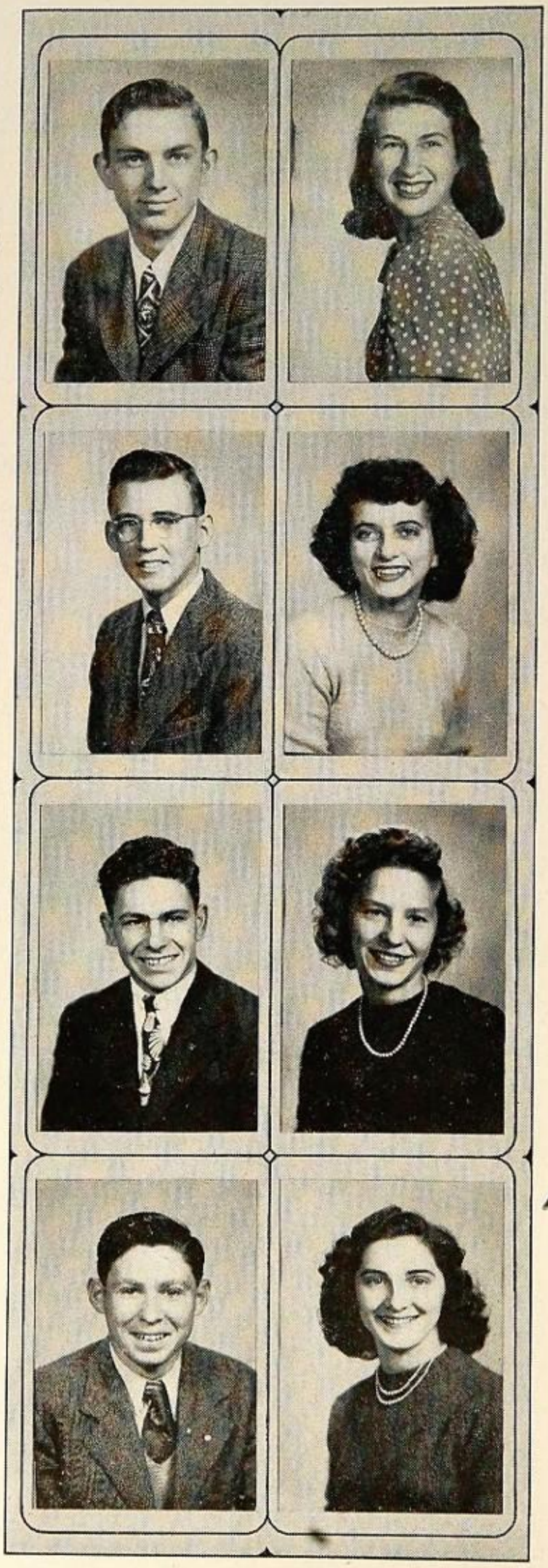
GENEVIEVE MARJORIE DECKERT

"Gen"

"The only rose without thorns is friendship"

Born in Southington, Conn., November 28, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 1; Home Nursing 4; Senior Girls' Club 4.



WILLIAM DUBICKI

"Duke"

"Cheer up! The worst is yet to come"

Born in Plantsville, Conn., April 16, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Cross Country 4.

FRANK WALLACE DUNN

"Dunnie"

"The folly of one man is the fortune of another"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., June 7, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Track 3; Valentine Dance 4; Senior Farewell Dance 3; French Club 3; Junior Prom 3; Spring Dance 2; Minstrels 4; St. Pat's Dance 3.

ANTHONY SIMION FEOLA

"Tony"

"Everyone's friend; nobody's enemy"

Born in Southington, Conn., July 21, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4 (Capt. 4); Track 3; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Chronicle 4; President 2; Emblem 4; A.A. 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Sport Dance 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom.

UMBERT ANTHONY FUSCO

"Unk"

"He does nothing in particular, but he does it well"

Born in West Cheshire, Conn., April 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

JANE DENNISON

"Dennie"

"All my skill shall beg but honest laughter"

Born in Milford, Conn., March 4, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 2; Home Nursing 3; Senior Girls' Club 4.

DOLORES ALICE DERENZIS

"Dee"

"Of a cheerful look, a pleasing eye and a most noble carriage"

Born in Mt. Vernon, New York, December 10, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4 (Sec'y 4); Senior Girls' Club 4; Home Nursing 3; Style Show 2.

ANNA MARIE DLUGOS

"Ann"

"Laugh and the world laughs with you"

Born in Southington, Conn., November 13, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Archery Club 3, 4; St. Pat's Dance 3; Chronicle 4; First Aid 2; Home Nursing 3; Senior Girls' Club 4; Sophomore Sport Dance 2; Hot Dog Sale 3.

JENNIE BARBARA DUDZIK

"Jean"

"So light of foot; so light of spirit"

Born in Southington, Conn., March 8, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Style Show 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman of Club's Candy Sale 4; Home Nursing 3.

DAVID GIOIA married

"Manny"

"For he's a jolly good fellow"

Born in Southington, Conn., March 30, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

married Oct 22 1949

NUNZIO JOSEPH GUGLIOTTI

"Joe"

"I am hungry — bring me something to eat"

Born in Southington, Conn., October 9, 1927.

ACTIVITIES: Baseball 1, 2, 3; Basketball 3; Football Mgr. 2, 3; Senior Play 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Nominating Committee 4.

LAWRENCE JOSEPH HAMPLE

"Larry"

"He who can take advice is sometimes superior to he who can give it"

Born in Meriden, Conn., August 25, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Track 3, 4.

married

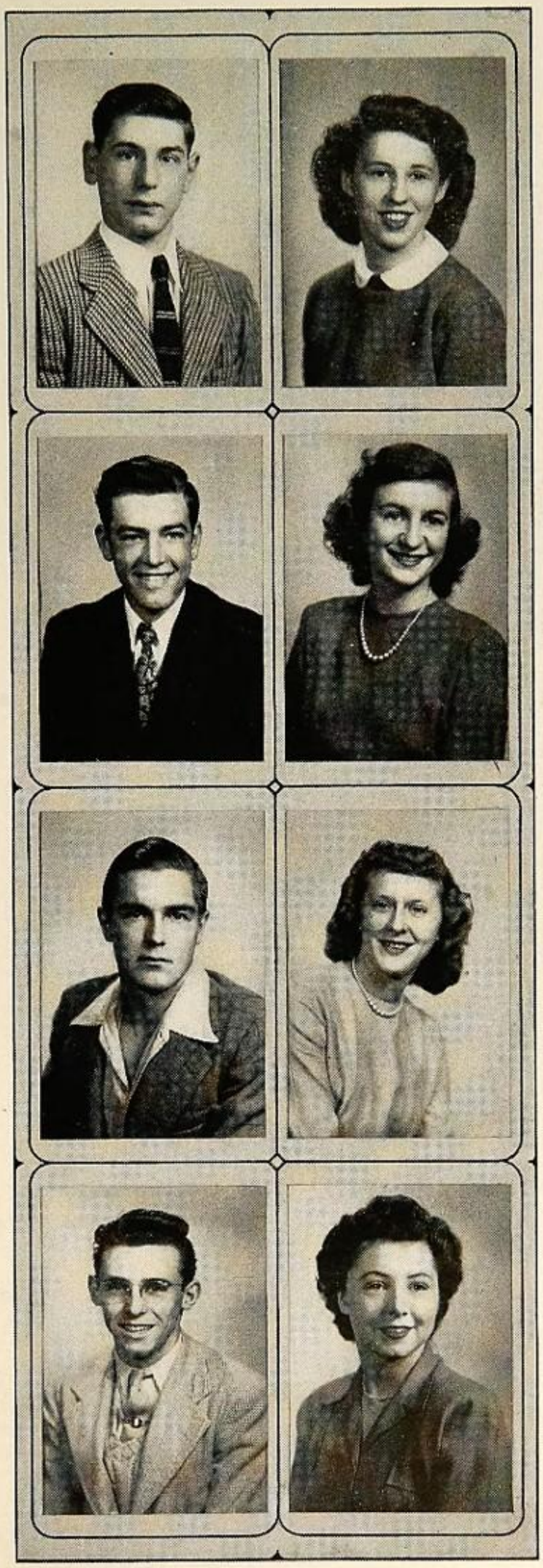
GARLAND WILCOX HOOPER

"Hoops"

"In this fool's paradise he drank delight"

Born in Bristol, Conn., September 17, 1927.

ACTIVITIES: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Cross Country 4; Minstrels 4.



VIRGINIA FRANCES DZIEDZIC

"Virg"

"A quiet tongue shows a wise head"

Born in Southington, Conn., September 17, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 1; Home Nursing 4; Senior Girls' Club 4.

married

EMILY MAE ELLERY

engaged "Toni"

"Treasure is not always a friend, but a friend is always a treasure"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., September 8, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: First Aid, Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom, Cheer Leader 3; Home Nursing 3; Seniorettes, Valentine Dance.

married

HELEN MARY GERNAT

"O' fairest of the rural maids"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., October 2, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 1, 2, 4; Home Nursing 3; Cap and Gown Committee 4; Seniorettes 4; Typing Staff 4.

married

ARLENE GIBBS

"Gibbsie"

"A loyal friend is beyond price"

Born in Torrington, Conn., September 19, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Valentine Dance 4; Home Nursing 3. Attended Leavenworth High.

married

ROBERT STEVEN HOPKO

"Hoppie"

"A skillful master of his art"

Born in Meriden, Conn., December 31, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2; Home Nursing 3; Nominating Committee 4.

JAMES FRANCIS HURLEY married

"Bull"

"More Irish than the Irish"

Born in Meriden, Conn., December 2, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4: Baseball 2; Junior Prom 3; Class Vice-President 3.

JOHN ANTHONY KLEPACKI

"Cleo"

"Variety is the spice of life"

Born in Southington, Conn., April 17, 1929.

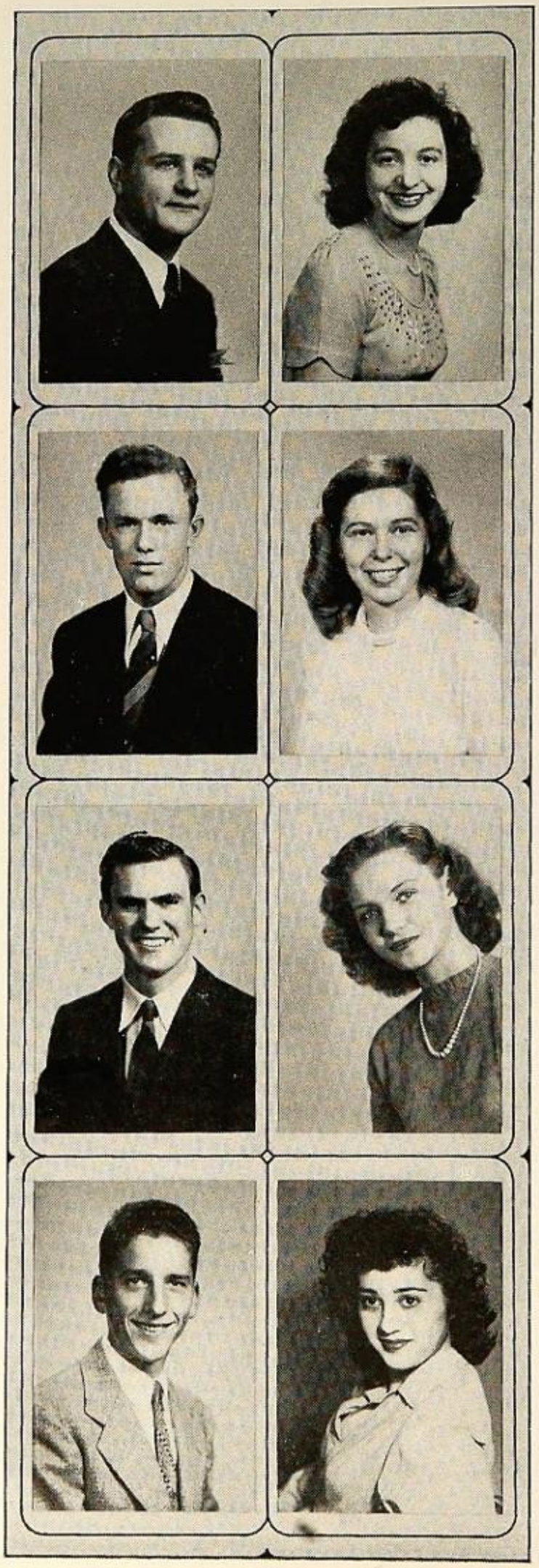
ACTIVITIES: Home Nursing 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. 1.

JOHN ALEXANDER KOZLOWSKI

"Coke"

"My tongue within my lips I rein,
For he who talks much, talks in vain"

Born in Southington, Conn., February 25, 1930.



Married May 15, 1950

engaged

OLGA ANN GALIETTE

"Jinx"

"If smiles were pennies you would be a millionaire"

Born in Southington, Conn., September 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Seniorettes 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4.

married

NANCY JANE GLASNAPP

"I am the sole depository of my secret"

Born in Hartford, Conn., July 8, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Seniorettes 4; Archery Club 3, 4.

married

FRANCES GRABELSKI

"Francie"

"Who is it can read a woman?"

Born in Bristol, Conn., January 20, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 1, 2; Seniorettes 4; Librarian 4.

Married

engaged

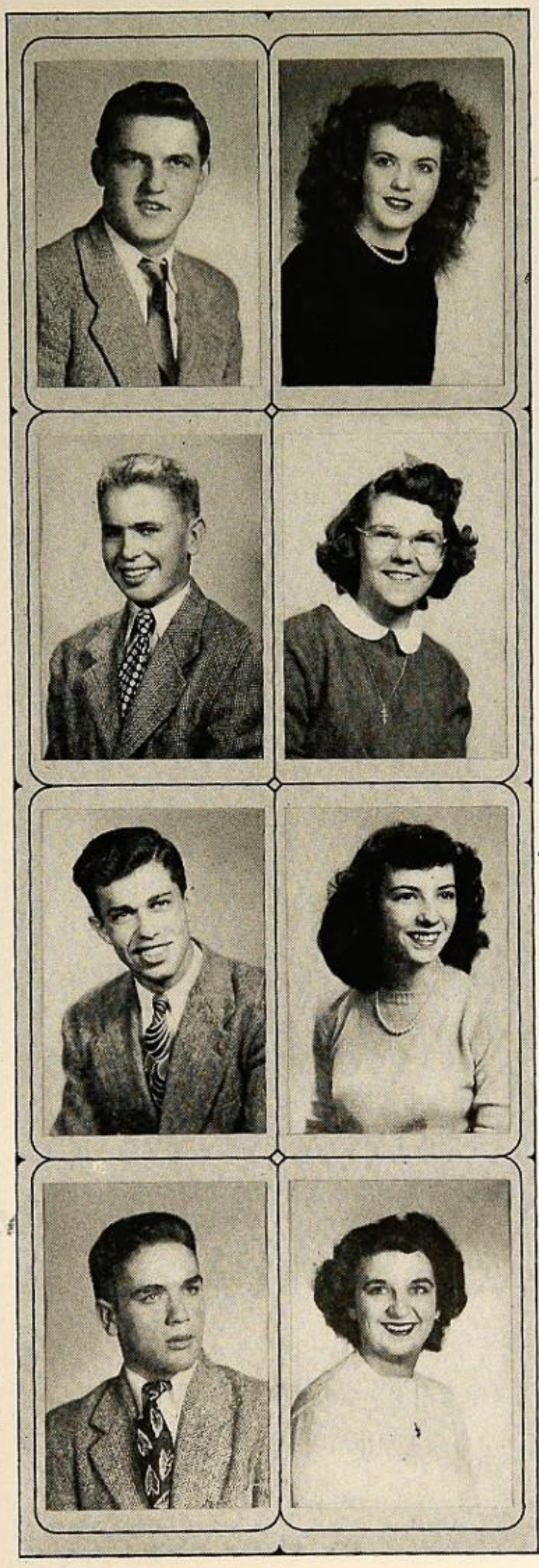
VERA SARAH GRIMALDI

"Sis"

"Gentleness succeeds better than violence"

Born in Southington, Conn., July 21, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Transferred to Goodwin Technical School.



RAYMOND GEORGE KREMSKI

"Coke" T.C.C.

"Within his hand, the world.
He rivals Atlas"

Born in Southington, Conn., February 5, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Class Secretary 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3.

married

CARL HERBERT LARSON

"Lard"

"Let us so endeavor to live that when we die
even the undertaker will be sorry"

Born in Bristol, Conn., January 8, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Junior Prom 3; Spring Dance 2; Nominating Committee 4; Home Nursing 3.

RALPH GORDON MANN married

"Monk"

"Truth is the basis of every virtue"

Born in New Britain, Conn., October 6, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Student Council 4; Chronicle 4; Senior Play 4; Class President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 3; Junior Recital 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

married
DUDLEY H. MERRIMAN

"Dud"

"I am accused of the atrocious crime
of being a young man"

Born in Meriden, Conn., August 13, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hot Dog Sale 4; Home Nursing 3.

married

MARGUERITE ANN HABURAY

"Marge"

"A friend in need is a friend indeed"

Born in New Britain, Conn., September 11, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Red Cross Representative 2.

ANTOINETTE JANKOVICH

"Toshie" T.C.C.

"Snappy, clever, full of fun
She has a smile for everyone"

Born in Southington, Conn., May 27, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Treasurer of Class 3; Student Council (sec'y) 4; Style Show 1, 2; Sport Dance 1, 2; Senior Girls' Club 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Chronicle 4; Home Nursing 3; Senior Play 4; Emblem 4.

KARYL ANN KAWEL

married "Shen"

"A lady richly clad is she
beautiful exceedingly"

Born in Boston, Mass., September 8, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Brighton High: Glee Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Spanish Club 2; Bowling Club 1, 2; Archery Club 2; Home Nursing 2; Lewis High: Junior Prom Committee 3; Cheerleader 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Senior Girls' Club; St. Patrick's Day Dance 3; Chronicle Staff 4; Senior Welcome Dance for Freshmen 4; Senior Play 4.

Married Sept. 26 1948

RUTH LUCILLE KENEFICK

engaged "Kennie"

"The sound of a sigh doesn't carry
But the lilt of a laugh rings forth"

Born in Plantsville, Conn., January 11, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Junior Red Cross Representative 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Chronicle 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Land Army 1; "Y" Drama Club 3; Senior Play 4; All State Chorus 4; Cheerleaders Dance 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 4; Emblem Typing Staff 4.

married

RALPH V. NIGRO

"Arvy"

"Men have different talents"

Born in Meriden, Conn., March 27, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; Hot Dog Sale 4.

married

FREDERICK NORTON, JR.

"Butch"

"A loyal, just, and upright fellow"

Born in Cheshire, Conn., February 14, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Senior Prom Committee.

FREDERICK NYREN married

"Fred"

"A mind full of knowledge, is a mind that never fails"

Born in Middletown, Conn., October 3, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Senior Valentine Dance.

married

JOSEPH O'HALA

"Yush"

"Youth is full of sport"

Born in Plantsville, Conn., July 24, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Football 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Class Night Committee; Home Nursing 3.

Married

DOROTHY ANN KIZILSKI

"Dot"

"Friend to all who would friendly be"

Born in Southington, Conn., February 5, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Senior Girls' Club 4; Fashion Show 1, 4.

married

HELEN JULIA KIZILSKI

"Kazal"

"Fun is my best subject"

Born in Southington, Conn., February 15, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Fashion Show 1, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4.

PAULINE CARMELA LAGANA

"Paul"

"Beware of this girl, boys; don't try to entrance her. Whatever you say, she'll have an answer."

Born in Southington, Conn., July 25, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Style Show 1; Home Nursing 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Concerts 1, 2, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4.

LUCILLE ANN LARIBEE married

"Lu"

"Her ways are ways of pleasantness"

Born in New Britain, Conn., January 10, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Dance Committee 1; All State Chorus 4; Prom Committee 3; Emblem Staff 4; Cap and Gown Committee 4; Home Nursing 3; Senior Girls' Club 4; Style Shows 1, 2, 4; Secretary 2; Ass't Librarian 4.

OSCAR J. POLITZ

"Let the world slide"

Born in Bristol, Conn., October 31, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Class Night Committee 4.

KENNETH WILLIAM REISCH married

"Kenny"

"He will maintain his argument as well as any military man"

Born in Southington, Conn., October 7, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Home Nursing 3; Orchestra 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball Mgr. 3; Class Treasurer 1; French Club 3, 4; Senior Play Committee 4; St. Patrick's Dance 3.

FRANCIS JOSEPH SABATELLA married

"Subby"

"A gentleman who likes to talk"

Born in Southington, Conn., November 9, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1.

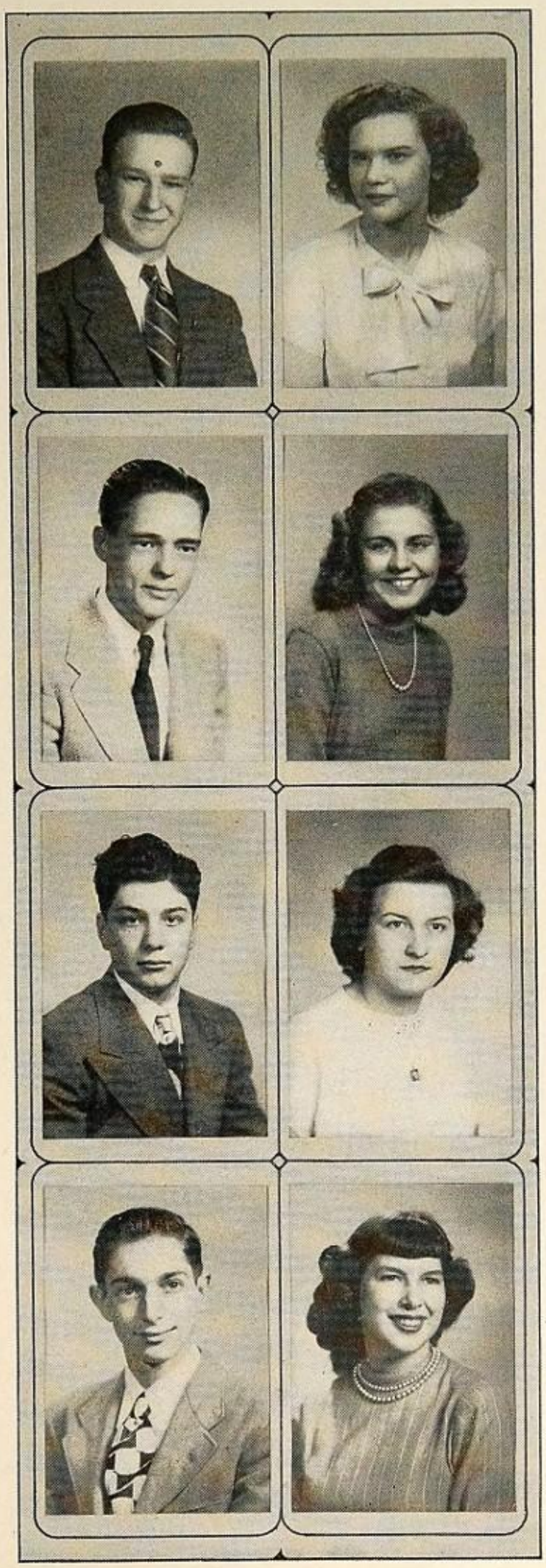
ROBERT JAMES SABATELLA

"Wheaties"

"Success will be his, because success is what he strived for"

Born in Meriden, Conn., October 14, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3.



BARBARA GENEVIEVE LUTY

"She studied not in vain"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., June 14, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 4; Latin Prize 2; French Club 3, 4; Latin Club 4.

married

MARION DOROTHY MARSHALL

"Marsh"

"In your future we await success"

Born in Southington, Conn., May 13, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Style Show 1, 2; Class Treasurer 4; Senior Play 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Freshman Sport Dance 1.

married

ROSEMARY ANN MARTIN

"Ambition knows no rest"

Born in Hartford, Conn., July 21, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 4; President of Girls' Club; Junior Play 3; Archery Club 3, 4; Nominating Committee 4; All State Chorus 4; Style Show 1, 2; Winter Wonderland Dance Committee 4; Magazine Campaign Winner 3.

married

DOLORES SUSAN MEADE

"Do-Do"

"Without laughter there is no love"

Born in Meriden, Conn., April 29, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Archery 3, 4; Cheerleader 2; Manager of Cheerleaders 3, 4; St. Patrick's Day Dance 3; Junior Recital Prize Winner 3; Junior one-act Play 3; Senior Girls' Club 4; Chronicle Staff 4; Junior Prom Committee 3; Senior Play 4; Freshman Christmas Dance 1; Sophomore Spring Dance 2; Style Show 2; Hot Dog Sale 3.

MICHAEL JOHN SLAHTOSKY

"Mickey"

"He doth much that doth a thing well"

Born in Cohoes, N.Y., June 5, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 4; Baseball 3, 4.

EDWARD PAUL SOSENKO

"Vence"

"A youth of labor
With an age of ease"

Born in Cleveland, Ohio, December 2, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

ANTHONY JOSEPH SAZANOWICZ

"Pee Wee"

"A happy-go-lucky fellow is he"

Born in Meriden, Conn., June 5, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Baseball 2, 3, 4.

WILLIAM HENRY STRONG

"Bill"

"Let every man talk
Of what he understands"

Born in Hartford, Conn., May 24, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Basketball 3, 4; Senior Prom 4; Glee Club 1.

DONNA JEAN MOHR

"A noticeable girl with large brown eyes"

Born in Alliance, Ohio, March 8, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Emblem 3, 4; Junior Prom 3; Nominating Committee 4; Senior Farewell Dance 3; Home Nursing 3; Sophomore Dance 2; French Club 3; Winter Wonderland Dance.

IRENE MOLSKI

"I"

"To work is to win"

Born in New Britain, Conn., February 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 4; Dance Committee 3; French Club 3, 4; Latin Club 4.

DIANE RUTH MONGILLO

"Di"

"Good humor is a priceless gift"

Born in Southington, Conn., February 4, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 2, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Freshman Dance Committee 1; Senior Prom 4; Emblem Typing Staff 4.

JANE MARGARET MULLINS

"Janie"

"A girl to whom was given, so much of earth, so much of heaven"

Born in Hartford, Conn., December 28, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3; Junior Prom 3; Archery 3, 4; St. Pat's Dance; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Dance 1; French Club 3; Laurel Girls State 3; Home Nursing 3; Co-Chairman of Magazine Subscription Drive 3; Hot Dog Sale 3; Senior Girls' Club 4; Sport Dance 2.

DAVID ALFRED SULLIVAN

"Sully"

"A lion among the ladies is a most dangerous thing"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., October 11, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Football 3; Home Nursing 3.

MARIO ALBERT TACINELLI

"Tat"

"Why do men worry themselves so"

Born in Southington, Conn., August 5, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Minstrels 2, 3.

ROBERT MARTIN TANGNEY

"Tug"

"Don't worry until something happens"

Born in New Britain, Conn., November 16, 1929.

BURTON CLEMENT THERIAULT

"Burt" married

"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart"

Born in Milldale, Conn., March 19, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Orchestra 4; Junior Recital 3; Baseball 4; Senior Play Committee 4; F.F.A. 1.

MARRIED

MARY ELIZABETH NOVACK

"Minko"

"Although she is quiet she is there just the same"

Born in Meriden, Conn., February 28, 1928.

ACTIVITIES: Junior Recital 3; Senior Play Committee 4; Home Nursing 4; Seniorettes 4.

ELINOR LILLA PARIZO married

"Ellie"

"A rhapsody of words"

Born in Meriden, Conn., December 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; First Aid 2; Style Show 3; Home Nursing 3; Sport Dance 2; French Club 3, 4; Seniorettes 4.

married

ANGELINE ELLEN PALLADINO

engaged "Angie"

"She preferred to be herself"

Born in Southington, Conn., August 18, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 4; Tri-Hi-Y 3, 4; Style Show 1, 2; Seniorettes 4; Valentine Dance 4; Queen of Hearts 4; Home Nursing 3.

married

DOROTHY NOVICK

"Blondie"

"Born with the gift of laughter"

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrels 2, 3, 4; Senior Sport Dance 4; Seniorettes 4; All State Chorus 4.

JOSEPH WYGONOWSKI

"Joe"

"Quiet men are the best men"

Born in Southington, Conn., March 5, 1929.

married
MALLIE CARMELLA PERILLO

"Mal"

"As far from fraud as heaven and earth"

Born in Southington, Conn., January 1, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Style Show 2; Senior Girls' Club 4; Senior Prom Committee 4.

engaged
HELEN PATRICIA SHABON

"Hetchie"

"A good friend and a good sport"

Born in Southington, Conn., January 15, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Senior Girls' Club 4.

Married April 15, 1950
BARBARA ANN SWEENEY

"Bobbie" engaged

"Good nature is an asset"

Born in Meriden, Conn., October 30, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Sophomore Dance 2; Librarian 4.

engaged married
JEAN FRANCES PEDROLINI

"Quiet, demure, but always ready for fun"

Born in New Britain, Conn., June 28, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Senior Welcome Dance 4; Senior Farewell Dance 3; Home Nursing 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Tri-Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Making 4; First Aid 1; Archery 3.

engaged Married
MARIE ANN RIZK

"Riskie"

"Put people, like pictures, in the best light"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., January 10, 1930.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom 3; Senior Girls' Club (Sec'y) 4; Senior Prom 4; Style Show 1, 2.

married
HELEN BERNADETTE SULLIVAN

"Sully"

"A grin, a smile, and then a laugh, and now we're friends"

Born in Waterbury, Conn., November 8, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Home Nursing 3; Hot Dog Sale 4; Style Show 1; Senior Girls' Club 4.

Married
engaged ANN TOMCZAK

"Anne"

"A woman generally speaking, is generally speaking"

ACTIVITIES: Freshman Dance 1; Sophomore Sport Dance 2; Style Show 2, 3, 4; Senior Girls' Club 4; Prom Committee 4; Glee Club 2, 4; Emblem Typing Staff 4.

JOAN TESSMER WENDT

"The fairest garden in her looks,
And in her mind the wisest books"

Born in New Haven, Conn., November 24, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Class Secretary 1, 3; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4 (president 4); A.A. 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; First Aid 1; Red Cross Representative 1; Red Cross Convention 3; Capt. Magazine Drive 4; Sport Dance 2; Senior Play 4; Emblem 3, 4 (Ass't Editor 3, Editor 4); Chronicle Staff 4.

MILDRED DOROTHY ZUKOWSKI

"Millie"

"Grace in her every step"

Born in Southington, Conn., March 23, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Cheerleader 2; Junior Prom 3; Nominating Committee 4; Emblem 4; Chronicle Staff 4.

LILLIAN ANN WILLICKA

"Lil"

"Quiet until you know her"

Born in New Britain, Conn., September 25, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 4; Style Show 2; Seniorettes 4; Librarian 3.

BETTY ANN ENGSTROM

"Bette"

"Keep true to the dreams of thy youth"

Born in Jersey City, New Jersey, March 4, 1929.

ACTIVITIES: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Home Nursing 3; Emblem Staff 3, 4; Chronicle Staff 4.

Class History

In the fall of 1943 the annual inflow of guests registered for their residence at Hotel Lewis. We were placed on the fourth floor where the proprietors could keep a close watch on us and where we were at the complete mercy of the lower floor or upperclassmen. It took us a while to learn where not to walk and where not to talk, but we soon organized ourselves to elect members to the necessary offices. Vinny Crookes was elected to the post of Chief Janitor and Broom Guard Bob Chalmers his assistant. Joan Wendt became Custodian of the Records and Ken Reisch was Rent Collector. Miss Ballantine was chosen Floor Supervisor.

During our stay on the fourth floor we sponsored two dances, the Christmas Sport Dance and the Easter Dance which were both financial and social successes. We were surprised at the number of other floor tenants who attended for they had been scoffing at us "Froshes" all year. Finally June arrived and we checked out for our various summer travels.

September found us back again, but now we were entitled to climb only three flights and stay in the third floor. Here we made sure the new Freshmen received what we had endured the year before. We considered ourselves old-timers and quickly elected our officers as follows: Chief Janitor, Tony Feola; Broom Pusher, Bill Beltz; Records, Lucille Larribee and Rent Collector Ralph Carbone. This year we chose Miss DeGere as our Supervisor and Night Watchman. With this capable staff we enjoyed our quarters as much as possible under our duties to the Hotel management.

The class began to stride out in the entertainment field as a Sport Dance was sponsored early in November and another was held in the spring. Now that we were Sophomores, we had made more friends and everyone had a good time at the dances.

At the end of the hotel season, we packed eagerly, looking forward to vacation and the thought of being upperclassmen in the fall.

Hotel Lewis reopened in September and after two long years, we occupied the second floor. These rooms are especially desirable because of their position of authority but mainly because there was an elevator for our special use. We thought we were something special — but no one else seemed to! Uncomplimentary nicknames still followed us and the membership of the Flag Club was as solid as ever.

Our second floor elections were held and Bob Chalmers became our clean up man with Jim Hurley his stand-in; Joan Wendt wrote down our fatal deeds and Mrs. Jankovich's daughter kept the purse which was usually empty. Miss DeGere was again our guiding influence. The whole floor was intensely interested in the history of American architecture and spent many hours studying it in Room 17.

On November 18, the annual Junior Prom was held, the major event of our year, and it was a gala success for those who went. Hot Dog sales were conducted through the year and a St. Patrick's Day Dance was sponsored. A novel idea was our Good Bye Seniors Dance to which all Seniors were invited as guests of honor.

Last fall we entered Lewis to take the luxurious suites reserved for us on the main floor. We had looked forward to being Seniors for a long time and we wanted to make a good impression. This was to be our last year at Lewis and the biggest and best one for us.

L. H. S. CHRONICLE

Floor elections were held in a true democratic spirit with Ralph Mann elected president and Joe O'Hala, vice-president. Ray Kremski was elected secretary and Marion Marshall, treasurer. Miss DeGere had moved but Miss Collins efficiently filled the post of our advisor. Seniors don't have to be bothered with a cleaning staff; our officers have enough trouble trying to make the budget meet.

Lewis athletic teams have greatly profited from our class as they have trampled opponents into the dust in Football, Baseball, and Track and into the floor in Basketball. Stars on the Gridiron were "Bull" Hurley, Bob Chalmers, Dud Merriman, Ray Kremski, "Monk" Mann, and Tony Feola. Tony Feola and Bob Chalmers were also stand outs on the basketball court while Bill Dubicki, "Yush" O'Hala and Phil D'Agostino led the baseball team.

The annual Senior Play, *A Howling Success,* was given early in December in the Hotel's spacious auditorium. The play was directed by Miss Collins and produced by an excellent cast led by Bill Beltz and "Sodie" Carbone. Given before a capacity crowd, it was universally acclaimed a success. A share of the success was due to the Stage Directors: Ken Reisch, Gerry Conaty, Dick DeBishop, and Bill Strong, whose novel sound effects usually surprised everyone.

Three dances have been held so far this year by the almighty Senior Class. Similar to our Junior Good Bye Seniors Dance, we held a Welcome Freshmen Dance. A New Year's Eve Dance was held at which the New Year was heralded in in the best American tradition. In February the Valentine Dance was held with the election of the Valentine King and Queen and their Pages. Dave Gioia was the King and Angie Palladino, the Queen.

Three more events await us before we check out for the last time. There will be the major social event of the season, the Senior Ball, for which Harry James or perhaps Vaughn Monroe will be engaged. Class Night will be held, a farewell party, where we will join together to enjoy good food, good wine, and good friends. The climax of our year will be an evening in June where we will prepare to depart. After our luggage is packed and our room keys deposited, we receive our Certificates of Good Standing from the manager himself.

We have enjoyed our stay and the knowledge and lasting friendships it has given us, but our time is up and we must move on. We realize now the opportunities that you offered to us and which we first took so lightly. We hope we can live up to the faith and wisdom you have placed in us. One thing we are sure of: the memory of Lewis High will live in the hearts of her sons and daughters forever.

JACK LOTZ

Class Poem

We were a trifle anxious
And in quite a baffling "mess,"
Where would we get a poem
That could honestly express
The many hopes and memories
That within our hearts entwine
With our "Alma Mater" Lewis,
Sentiments we can't define?

But now that we are leaving
We just can't help but think
Of the laughter, fun, and friendship
That we have come to link
To the faithful time-worn building
With a spirit all its own —
The school we worked and played for
Aiding us as we have grown.

Yes, there was a lot of griping,
And oh how we did worry
About teachers, tests, and finals,
And we always tried to scurry
Faster each succeeding day
Down the hill that tired us so.
But something always drew us
To that place we'd come to know.

We've had a lot of fun there
And many thanks we owe
To faculty, friends, and helpers
Who made the memory grow.
And may that memory never fade
We know it never will.
So we bid goodbye with a tearful eye
To the "Institution on the Hill."

JOAN WENDT

Class Will

The class of nineteen hundred and forty-seven, being of sound mind(?) and body(?) do hereby bequeath the following in our last will and testament; witnessed and approved by the parties of the first part to the parties of the second part, written by the parties of the third part, in memory of the parties of the fourth part. (Take it slow son, you'll get it!)

Mr. Strong — A headache we know are your duties each day
We give you these aspirins to fade them away.

Mr. Phelan — A bottle of O-D-30 in the lab would go well
To counteract that sulphur smell.

Mr. Rathbun — A flashlight bulb to you we deem
To keep your track teams on the beam.

Miss Halloran — You teach your pupils to speak with ease
So this book on English should surely please.

Mr. McSorley — "Get away from that saw!" we hear you say
So here is a whip to keep them away.

Mrs. Prior — To you we bequeath this pattern book
So your students will have that "well-dressed" look.

Miss Shorey — And now a map to Elizabeth Shorey
Of the world she will travel, in all its glory.

Mr. Fontana — We give to you this pigskin brown
To carry into Plainville town.

Miss Beach — To continue sounds, oh, so sweet
We give to you this music sheet.

Miss Fagan — To you we give this Lewis "L"
To show you that you've been just swell.

Miss Clark — A one year diploma we give to you
And soon the others will make it two.

Mr. D'Angelo — To you we give this racing tip
So behind in cash you'll never slip.

Mr. Stowe — We leave this checkbook to Mr. Stowe
To pay all the debts Lewis High may owe.

Mr. Joyal — Then, Mr. Joyal, these earmuffs we leave him
To block out the noises that seem to peeve him.

Miss Collins — Sleeping tablets to Miss Collins, our advisor;
About Senior classes she's much the wiser.

Mr. Small — We leave these eggs to Mr. Small
To remind him of the farmer's call.

Miss Bedford — We leave this starch to Miss Bedford so neat
To keep her clothes always trim and "Reet."

Mrs. Armond — To Mrs. Armond, this memo pad
To write out the passes we wished we had.

Shirley Johnson — For being a faithful fan at every game
We give you this pass engraved with your name.

Mr. Stewart and To catch the kids who make the scraps

Mr. Skinner — We bequeath to you these two nice traps.

Miss Bristol — Because you are so neat and trim
We give to you this safety pin.

Miss Hannifin — To Miss Hannifin we leave this bus
To transport pupils without a fuss.

To the Seniors of Forty-eight
We leave our throne to appreciate.

Remember Class of Forty-nine
As Juniors, you must keep in line.

This advice to you, Class of Fifty
With your treasury be very thrifty.

And now to the Class of Fifty-one
We leave four years of lots of fun.

And now to old Lewis, so sad and forlorn
A gold brick to use when the new high school is born.

Notary Public:

DOLORES MEADE

Executors:

ANTHONY FEOLA
ANTOINETTE JANKOVICH
JOAN WENDT

Witnesses:

WILLIAM BELTZ
ROBERT CHALMERS

Class Presentations

GIRLS

EDITH ANN ALDI

The motto "Silence is golden" refers to you,
But this saying "Laugh and be merry," we bequeath to you.

DIANA ALEIA

A scooter, because you are always late,
Even for an important date.

JOSEPHINE ANDRES

Your hair has such a lovely sheen,
Here's some shampoo, keep it always so clean.

EVELYN BURKHARDT

This appointment for a screen test we present to you,
Since your class picture caused such a to do.

NANCY CARLO

This cash register sure is keen,
And it's what we leave to our "Crisco Queen."

THERESA DANKO

Since of Plainville you have often spoken,
We give to you this bus token.

GENEVIEVE DECKERT

To Gen who's prominent in Church affairs,
We give a memo book to allay her cares.

JANE DENNISON

Because your boy friend is so high,
These stilts we give you to reach the guy.

DOLORES DERENZIS

Of your French accent you should be proud,
So from this French book you may read aloud.

ANN MARIE DLUGOS

This beautiful bottle of blue-black ink,
For your work in the office would go well, we think.

JENNIE DUDZIK

An appointment with Arthur Murray would go swell,
For you who we know dances so well.

VIRGINIA DZIEDZIC

A secretary of fame we know you'll be
And this book will keep your notes from A to Z.

EMILY ELLERY

To you an index file we bring,
So a wrong number you'll never ring.

BETTY ANN ENGSTROM

For best wishes in modeling success,
We'll give you this mirror for aid as you dress.

HELEN MARY GERNAT

What you need is this bottle of milk,
To keep your complexion as smooth as silk.

ARLINE GIBBS

This pair of scissors to our pal, Arline,
Since with a long bob, she wants to be seen.

L. H. S. CHRONICLE

OLGA GALIETTE

Piano playing seems to be your style.
Play at this, it's worth the while.

NANCY GLASNAPP

Here are some tokens for use when you can,
Take the Plainville bus to see your man.

FRANCES GRABELSKI

No doubt in church we'll see you soon,
So here's a romantic paper moon.

MARGUERITE HABURAY

These curlers are left to you with care
To use upon your lovely hair.

ANTOINETTE JANKOVICH

Ready with talk or for an argument dandy,
We're sure this microphone will come in handy.

KARYL KAWEL

When you get blue you'll need this pal,
Cause from all reports you're quite a gal.

RUTH KENEFICK

These vitamin pills will keep you full of pep
'Cause as a cheerleader you certainly are hep.

DOROTHY KIZILSKI

Duz does everything we hear say,
It's for your work in the laundry to whisk dirt away.

HELEN KIZILSKI

Since you have such lovely blond hair
This lemon for a rinse to aid in its care.

PAULINE LAGANA

This song book we give to our well-known canary,
Keep up your spirit and always be merry.

LUCILLE LARIBEE

In the Minstrels you sang with a voice so sweet,
We now present to you this music sheet.

BARBARA LUTY

Since in brains you specialize,
Here's a quiz show ticket. Go win a prize.

MARION MARSHALL

Here's a match to chase the dark
Whenever you're lost in Central Park.

ROSEMARY MARTIN

The parties you gave were the talk of the town,
We're sure you could use this new hostess gown.

DOLORES MEADE

You've led the Cheerleaders through thick and thin,
This stack of cheers should keep your voice in trim.

DONNA MOHR

This memoir book we know you'll adore,
To keep track of all your "men" galore.

IRENE MOLSKI

To the teacher in the French Club play,
We give this chalk for teaching some day.

DIANA MONGILLO

This package of needles, this spool of thread,
Will keep your sewing in good stead.

JANE MULLINS

Now a thermometer to the future nurse,
Here's hoping your patients never get worse.

MARY NOVAK

A pencil for writing the Seniorette News,
Goes to you, so the memory you'll never lose.

DOROTHY NOVICK
To look at the blondest of blondes in our class,
We give to you this looking glass.

ANGELINE PALADINO
To our Valentine queen we present this heart,
To remind her of the dance in which she took part.

ELINOR PARIZO
Freckles seem to be what you abhor,
Just use this cream and they'll be no more.

JEAN PEDROLINI
This ticket will save you plenty of dough,
When to see "him" in Plainville you must go.

MALLIE PERILLO
If the customers stamp and holler and boil,
Just hop in this truck and deliver the oil.

MARIE RIZK
This book is used by the best ones,
How to be a buyer in ten easy lessons.

HELEN SHABON
Helen's a gal so alive and bright,
We've decided to give her an electric light.

ELIZABETH STUART
A ticket for California we give to you,
And no more studying you must do.

HELEN SULLIVAN
For after the dances we give you this car,
Since from the "Y," Marion seems quite far.

BARBARA SWEENEY
We notice that you blush quite a bit
So we leave you this powder to cover it.

ANN TOMCZAK
Since you're a chick as cute as pie,
This confection for you we decided to buy.

JOAN WENDT
A book on "women's rights" will have its day,
Since you are the first to lead the Student Council's way.

LILLIAN WILLICKA
Stuck in Meriden you always get
So this special bus will help we bet.

MILDRED ZUKOWSKI
If knowing the prices in Grant's make you pout
This price list we give you for when you're in doubt.

BOYS

EDWARD BEAUDOIN
This car will carry you in style
Over hill and dale for many a mile.

WILLIAM BELTZ
An option on leads in all Senior plays,
Is left to you for the rest of your days.

JOHN BREWER
To Johnny whose slick hair-do we admire,
We give to you this hair tonic for the effects we desire.

RALPH CARBONE
You hair is a prize above sugar and spice,
So we give you this comb to keep it ever so nice.

ROBERT CHALMERS
We give to you this address book,
To list all the women you have on your hook.

GERALD CONATY
Some nails are yours to remind you of the day
You built the stage for the *Senior Play*.

PHILIP D'AGOSTINO
You are what the Yankees lacked,
So we offer you this lifetime contract.

RICHARD DEBISHOP
Seeing how grand you look with a pipe
Here's some tobacco, mellow and ripe.

WILLIAM DUBICKI
This deck of cards to our favorite joker,
Your picture within helps playing poker.

FRANK DUNN
To remind you of your days of woe,
We give you this tool made in Pexto.

ANTHONY FEOLA
We leave to Feola this little round ball,
To show he's all around boy of us all.

UMBERT FUSCO
Collecting they'd come every day
This receipt will show, you were first to pay.

DAVID GIOIA
Since your clothes always look so dandy
This pack of clothes pins should come in handy.

NUNZIO GUGLIOTTI
This grass rake will remind you, we sincerely guess,
Of being the grass cutter in "*A Howling Success.*"

LAWRENCE HAMPLE
This road map will point your way,
While on your motorcycle some future day.

GARLAND HOOPER
Since you were our theatre man
We give this movie to show when you can.

ROBERT HOPKO
A book on weight lifting will make it simple as pie
When you're lifting those barbells down at the Y.

JAMES HURLEY
To the fighting Irishman of Lewis fame,
We give this scholarship to Notre Dame.

JOHN KLEPACKI
Here is oil for your Ford, especially made,
So your rides to Bristol won't be delayed.

JOHN KOZLOWSKI
Why be so quiet is our advice to thee
So use this megaphone to yell "whoo-pee."

RAYMOND KREMSKI
We give you this scarf that will surely wow
The "she" you're always bragging about — your cow.

CARL LARSON
These two big trucks with red frames
Are for you to take us to all the games.

JACK LOTZ
Of gas you seem always to be out
This will solve your plight without a doubt.

RALPH MANN
We give this gavel to our president, "Monk"
To keep some order, while we give out the rest of this junk.

DUDLEY MERRIMAN
This helmet, size 22
Is what we fondly leave to you.

RALPH NIGRO
Since at commercial work, you're so adept
A steno pad for you we've kept.

FREDERICK NORTON
This banner will brighten up the looks of your car
So that we can see you coming from afar.

FREDERICK NYREN
This package of flower seeds to start you on your way
To taking over Nyren Bros. on some future day.

JOSEPH O'HALA
Better drummers we know there are few,
So this set of drums will go good with you.

OSCAR POLITZ
This top hat to smiling Politz,
To wear some time and put on the "Ritz."

KENNETH REISCH
We give to you this beautiful bell
To remind you of when you needed it well.

FRANCIS SABATELLA
We always see you shooting pool,
Use this and break nary a rule.

ROBERT SABATELLA
To keep your clothes ever so neat,
This brush will give them a look that is "reet."

MICHAEL SLAHTOSKEY
A taxidermist in the future you will be,
This fine one will start you out, you see.

EDWARD SESENKO
We know you'll greet this chair with a smile,
Cause taking life easy is your style.

ANTHONY SYRZON
Since we always see you with a grin and smile,
Reading this joke book should be worth the while.

WILLIAM STRONG
Since Bill's a fellow who did his lab work so well,
We'll give him a test tube where chemicals may dwell.

DAVID SULLIVAN
A soldier's cap we give to you,
So the girls can continue to "ah" and "ooh."

MARIO TACINELLI
A bottle of liniment will keep you in shape,
Instead of having yourself wound up with tape.

ROBERT TANGNEY
To you we give these skates,
To keep those New Britain dates.

BURTON THERIAULT
A diary for the stories you tell galore,
Of "The time I was working in the Drug Store."

JOSEPH WYGONOWSKI
Very quiet you seem to be,
This mouse we now bequeath to thee.

"In each verse that we did write,
We tried to please with all our might,
But if in some way we did offend,
Just remember we didn't intend."

If anybody their gift does resent,
Just See Feola, Jankovich and Wendt.

Class Prophecy

Mr. Carl Larson has been caught telling another of his fabulous stories about winding his car around a flag pole. Still looking for sympathy from the girls.

The prominent and well-known Mr. Ralph Mann has just finished making his fourth million. Strange how some bankers get so rich so fast. How come?

The well-known photographer, Dudley Merriman, is still putting his prize pictures on exhibition. It's been said he is going to open a new studio, is it true? Still only certain people are allowed to see them.

General Lotz was called to the White House recently to discuss the Problems of the World. It is rumored that he has a theory on higher education at West Point. How high can it go?

Robert Chalmers: It was recently disclosed by Walter Winchell that his new styled bachelors' apartment is now open for inspection. To whom Porky?

Southington, Conn: Evelyn Burkhardt has opened a day nursery, being chosen as ideal teacher by the mothers of the community because of her gentleness and patience.

Mr. Ralph Carbone has left his expanding florist business to give Charles Boyer a few pointers on the latest styles of acting—principally on defending oneself.

Coach Anthony Feola and his Huskies are planning to revolutionize football by using his new Q.T. mixed with the single wing formation against his former teacher, J. J. Fontana, at Trinity. *Who* is going to win?

Miss Dolores Meade was voted the most popular nurse at a well known Connecticut hospital, for never being without a witty remark. Wonder what they are all about? Or is she already married?

Miss Diana Aleia has recently opened her new Beauty Salon at the corner of 42nd and Fifth Avenue in downtown New York. Miss Aleia will specialize in the recovering of that "Girlish Look" that we all lose after leaving Lewis High School.

The noted humorist and author, Raymond Kremski has just finished his latest book on "How Not to Exert Oneself and Still Have Folding Money." Does it grow on trees, Ray?

In spite of all the rumors to the contrary, Hedda Hopper has announced that Joan Wendt, the one time German actress, is still writing stories for the "Ladies Home Journal."

Joseph O'Hala: Although he thinks he is a factory worker, you will probably see "Youish" running Curtis' Greenhouse.

Miss Ann Marie Dlugos has accepted a position as Mr. Phelan's private secretary in the new high school. We know that Miss Dlugos's friendly disposition and cheery smile will be a great asset to the new school.

James Hurley: The class of "47" recently had its 10th class reunion. During the period special honors were given to "Bull" Hurley for making the reunion possible by keeping the Southington roads in condition.

Dave Sullivan is still chasing those pretty girls in Waterbury, or are they chasing you now, "Tweet"? What ever happened to all your admirers in "Dear Old Lewis"?

We heard that "Eddie's Body Builders Company" has just built its new, improved plant. They guarantee to make your car look like new. We also hear that Eddie isn't quite so bashful as he tries to make believe.

Dick DeBishop has just opened his new and improved bowling alleys. We've heard it said that they are just what the town needs.

Fred Nyren has just announced that he intends to start work soon on a new addition to his extensive greenhouse. We wonder what kind of flower Fred will give his girl on his first date?

We heard it told that Fred Norton is now giving advice to the big-shots at "Clark's." They must know a good man when they see one.

Oscar Politz is still working away at Pexto's and telling everybody how rich he's getting.

Johnny Klepacki is now a full-fledged farmer, running his big, modern, dairy farm out "West Street" way. We also hear it told that Johnny is making quite a few trips to Bristol lately. There must be a gum factory there.

Helen Sullivan is still arguing with all the boys. A fine nurse you'll make, Helen! Don't you know you're supposed to flatter the he-men?

Nancy Carlo is now running a very successful Consumer's Bureau in Hartford.

Jane Dennison, famous for her long walks home from school, has been given a gift of a new car. Notice we waited until she graduated to give it to her.

Miss Helen Gernat has announced an enrollment of 300 in her typing school for young men.

The famous brain specialist, Robert Hopko, has had a request to come to Southington in order to treat some of the Lewis High School cases.

Robert Tangney has just completed his 25th year as a member of Pexto's. They say that he is still moaning about all the money he lost by attending Lewis High. You can't take it with you, Tangney.

Mary Novak is now a student nurse at St. Francis Hospital, and a very good one at that. She and three other Lewis graduates went in training together.

Has everyone seen Ruth Kenefick's new puddle jumper, the black Buick convertible, speeding around town? She says it's wonderful for jumping around to different hospitals to take x-rays of prominent citizens of Southington.

Edward Sosenko has just published his latest book entitled "How To Get Rich Without Working"! We never thought you were the literary type, "Eddy."

Francis Sabatella is still "horsing around." They say some people never grow up, but "Subby" seems to be enjoying life.

We see Bob Sabatella as Pexto's ace draftsman. He has just completed the plans for Pexto's new and super tool machine. Good luck to you. We all knew you could do it.

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We've been hearing favorable reports about a pretty nurse who is always ready with a smile. It's told that at the hospital Donna always handles the "tough" cases (meaning male). Guess she just has a way with men.

Burt Theriault is now the owner of "Burt's Cut-Rate Drug Stores." We also are told that he's a family man now. Never would have guessed it.

We have just been informed that Marion Marshall has been chosen the "secretary of the year." It was no surprise to us, because how could she miss, what with brains and her efficient handling of things!

Mr. Dunn has just announced that he has succeeded in getting a 20% raise for the United Brotherhood of Truckers. Although he is not as fiery as John L. Lewis, they say he gets just as much done.

Phil D'Agostino is now the hard-hitting first baseman of the Hartford Senators. It has been said that "Phil" will be in the majors before long. We asked Phil what he did out of season and he promptly replied, "You don't expect me to work do you? I have to save myself for next season."

Ralph Nigro has just announced that he is ready to open his modern jewelry store. He has recently resigned his position as manager of a leading Meriden jewelry store.

Garland Hooper, manager of the Colonial Theater has announced that he has resigned, to accept a position with the State Theater in Hartford. We also have been informed that he's still a bachelor. I guess he's just too lively to settle down. I'm sure that Hooper will tell you that variety is the spice of life. are dressed so well!

It has been announced that the Gugliotti and Son Construction Co. has been awarded the contract for the mason work on Southington's new stadium. Nunz's comment was that he was going to make sure that his boys had a good stadium to play in.

Irene Molski has announced that she has resigned her position at Lewis High as the French and Latin teacher, to accept a new job at Smith College as Assistant Professor of French and History. Good for you Irene, we're sure Lewis will miss you.

Diana Mongillo has been accepted as secretary to Southington's new mayor. I'm sure she will be very busy now, both at being the mayor's secretary and keeping her husband (an ex-Navy man) happy.

A few Lewis High School Alumni spotted Jennie Dudzik in a hotel lobby about two weeks ago in Washington. Wonder if she's there for business or for pleasure? From the look she gave us, it's pleasure.

Miss V. Dziedzic is another L.H.S. alumni who is making good. Her department is home-making. She has a beautiful home and loves improving it. What do you say "Vee," how about giving us some tips? Better still, hold an open house party.

Miss N. Glasnapp has finally settled down. We didn't think she would, but you never can tell about those lively persons. Happy days, Nan.

A wonder girl at office work is Dolores De Renzis. She's a regular "whiz" at keeping things going. What would the boss do without you?

New York City, N.Y. — Flash!!! The Andres' Shop of Smart Designs has had it first anniversary and is doing well. No wonder so many New York women

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Peru—Miss Edith Aldi is enjoying a year's vacation in Peru. Too bad we all couldn't go. Have a good time, Edith.

The French teacher, Miss A. Jankovich has been trying out her improved method of teaching French—wonder if it works?

The new owner of Brown's Dept. Store, Miss P. Lagana, has changed things around quite a bit, including hiring only men employees.

Miss Ann Tomczak, the famous model for Vogue, has signed a contract with M.G.M. She will star in the newly released picture "I Hate Men." Ha!

Miss A. Palladino is now vocalizing with a well known band. She was signed up after doing a request number for a few friends.

Miss D. Nomick is making her debut at the Met. Opera House. She attributes her success to the training she had in the Minstrels at L.H.S.

Miss T. Danko is now happily married to that certain "Johnny."

Still waiting for the fleet to come in is Genevieve Deckert. We often wonder what "Gen" does with all her lonely nights. Wouldn't be pulling the wool over our eyes, would you?

Southington, Conn. — Miss Barbara Luty has graduated from college and is well on her way up the "ladder of success."

The Westmore Brothers of Hollywood have claimed Millie Zukowski as a perfect model for their cosmetics and their hair styles.

We see Francis Grabelski living contentedly with that good-looking man that we used to see so much of during days at Lewis.

The Southington Daily News has just announced that Marguerite Haburay has been chosen the "most-efficient" and "well-liked" secretary in town.

Miss Marie Rizk, a one-time Southington resident has recently moved to the big city of New York. By the headlines in the papers, she's right in the middle of society.

A one-time L.H.S. typist, Helen Shabon, has finally made her goal. She is now personal secretary to one of the Warner Bros.

Dr. Gerald Conaty has just bought his new Cadillac, and from what I have been told it must be quite a bus. As Southington's leading baby doctor he has won quite a following among the younger generation. I'm also told that he is still a confirmed bachelor.

Lawrence Hample, owner of "The Hample Motor Lines," has taken a leading place among the trucking lines in the state. They tell me he no longer drives a motor cycle. What's the matter, Larry; don't the girls like them?

Mario Tacinelli, one of the State's leading highway men, is now one of the key men in building Connecticut's new parkway which connects Southington directly with New York City. He's still beating all the boys in cards. He tells us it's skill, but it looks like a lot of luck if you ask me.

Joseph Wygnowski is another member of our Farmers' Association, but he doesn't seem to be getting very rich. Says he, "I'm too busy expanding the place to make much money." I often wonder which is expanding the fastest, the farm or Joe's waist line.

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John Brewer, one of the country's outstanding chemists, has just discovered a new formula which is to be used at the DuPont factory. Wonder what it is? We probably wouldn't know what he is talking about anyway, even if he did tell us.

Olga Galiette, a former Lewis High student, has made good. She is on a concert tour now and hopes to appear in Paris before long. Good luck, Olga.

Elizabeth Stuart is now happy in college. We know she does as well there as she did in high school.

Barbara Sweeney and family are still going to football games. Little Barbara aslo wears a plaid shirt.

The Ellery School of Dancing recently had it's first recital. Along with the 300 pupils Miss Ellery danced her famous Lewis step.

The Two Kizilski girls, Dorothy and Helen, of the Lewis class of "47" are still together. Both are married and live next door to each other.

Boston, Mass.—Miss Karyl Kawel is finally back in her home town after many years of traveling. Her next trip will take her around the world, and we know with whom; do you?

The absence of Miss Lucille Laribee has been noticed by everyone in town. We hope she's having a nice time in Florida, and wish we could join her there.

Anthony Srzron is now the town's leading Navy man. He is now home on leave looking very sharp in his Captain's uniform. Who knows, Southington may have a full-fledged admiral in a few years. They tell me he hasn't time to bother with the girls any more.

Southington now has a trade school and it is named Reisch Tech, in honor of the prominent educator, Professor Kenneth Reisch. They tell me he's quite a family man also. My, but I guess we'd never know the old boy now.

Cheshire's leading vegetable farmer, Umbert Fusco, is thinking seriously of selling out and going into a new field. We asked him the reason for his success. He says that, because of the modern farming methods he learned at Lewis, he has no trouble at all in raising the best vegetables in this section of the country. Must be the fertilizer he uses.

It was recently announced that Arlene Gibbs has retired from the business world to lead a quiet married life. It is no surprise to us, we always knew you had your heart set on just such a life.

Elinor Parizo has been offered a position in Hartford as a music teacher. We have been told that Elly is having a hard time making up her mind. I guess she hates to give up all her little pupils in Southington.

Mallie Perillo is no longer an active member of the Perillo Co. By some strange coincidence, today is her first wedding anniversary. I see you finally made up your mind, Mallie. I wonder if she lives in Terryville now?

Recently Miss Jane Mullins gave up her work as a chemist and has settled down with some pipe-smoking man and is admiring the beautiful smoke rings he blows.

Although Betty Engstrom says she can't draw, don't believe her. In ten years she will be giving the younger generation the fine points on how to become an artist.

It has been said that Miss Jean Pedrolini is happily married and living in Plainville.

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William Dubicki, the great fur trapper, was seen stopping at Monty's Diner for a hamburger on his way home from his hunting trip.

The great fullback, Michael Slahsosky is taking part in the Army Notre Dame football game.

A new bulletin just flashed over the wire that Lillian Willika has just been stranded in Meriden again. The State Police are being sent out to escort her home.

Miss Vera Grimaldi has just announced that a tea will be given next Wednesday in order to celebrate her discovery of a new permanent wave. The public is invited, Miss Grimaldi states.

William Strong, a well-known Southington attorney, is now vacationing at the shore. He is known throughout New England as one of the Sea Sportsmen. If you see Bill around ask him for a ride in one of his modern sailboats.

John Kozlowski is leading a quiet life out Flanders way. There are rumors that a new club is being founded in town. "The Get Rich The Easy Way Association" made up of Kozlowski, Fusco, Larson and Klepacki. Some say that Coke Kremski has almost been persuaded to be a farmer.

David Gioia has just accepted the position as Director of Physical Education at Southington High. He is also giving dancing instructions to all the bashful Freshmen boys who just can't seem to get up the courage to ask a girl for a dance. Good for you Davy, now maybe all the boys will be dancing at the school dances.

William Beltz, the prominent executive of the First National Chain Stores, has announced that his company plans to build a new super market in Southington. One more step in putting Southington on the map.

The Southington Daily News has just announced that Rosemary Martin has just been elected President of Southington Woman's Association. In her first statement to the press she announced that the association will strive to improve the recreation facilities for the younger children in town. We also hear it told that she still prefers those pipe smoking men.

THE FACULTY — *First Row*: Mrs. Alice Prior, Miss Elizabeth Hannifin, Miss Barbara Beach, Mr. Martin Phelan (Principal), Miss Barbara Clark, Miss Dorothy Halloran, Miss Elizabeth Shorey. *Second Row*: Mr. Alfred Stowe, Mr. Lawrence D'Angelo, Miss Madeline Collins, Miss Rita Fagan, Mr. Lawrence Mucci, Mr. Raymond Joyal, Mr. Joseph Fontana. *Third Row*: Mr. Andrew McSorley, Mr. John Rathbun, Mr. Carl Small. *Not Pictured*: Miss Mildred Bedford.

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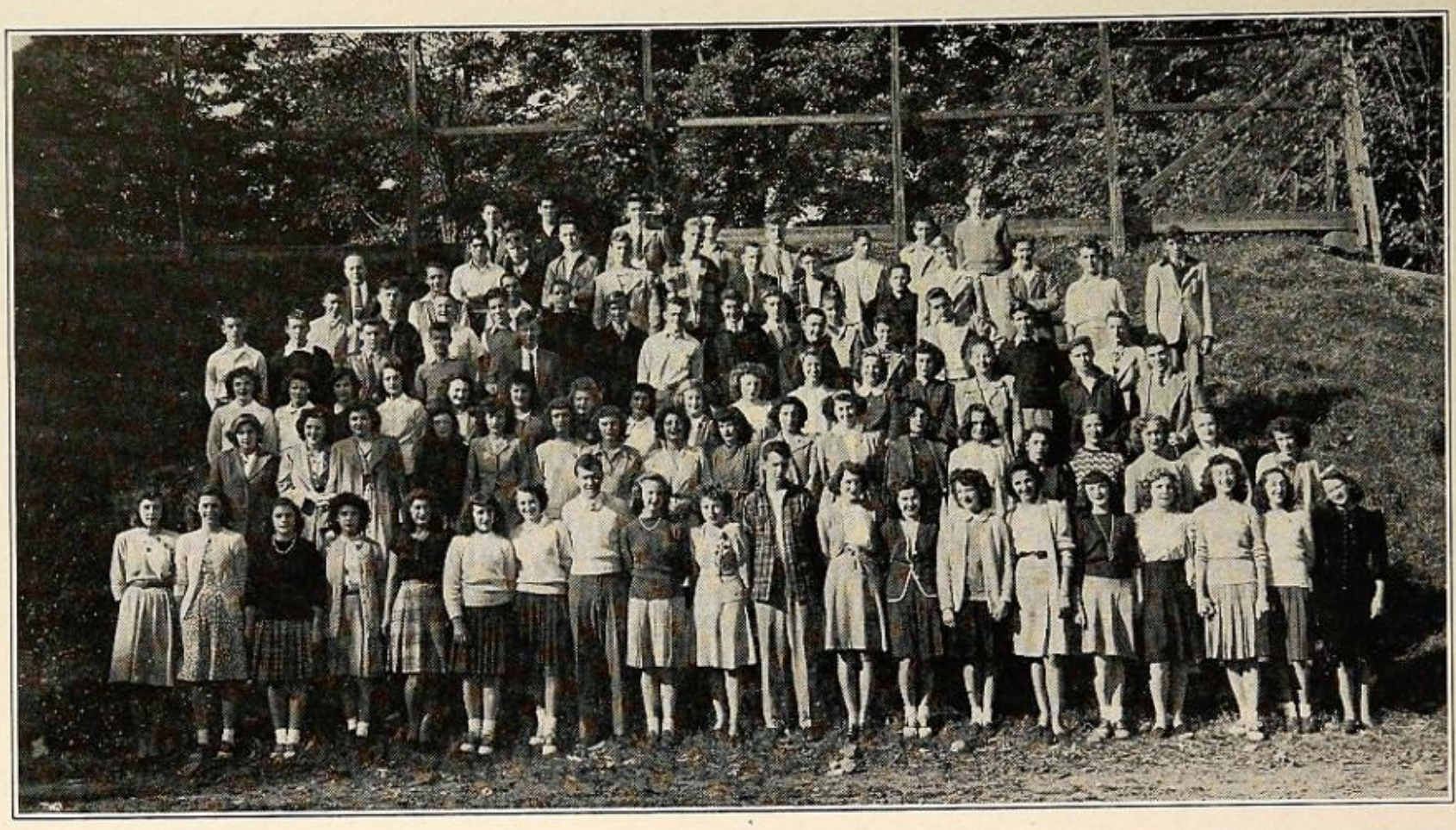

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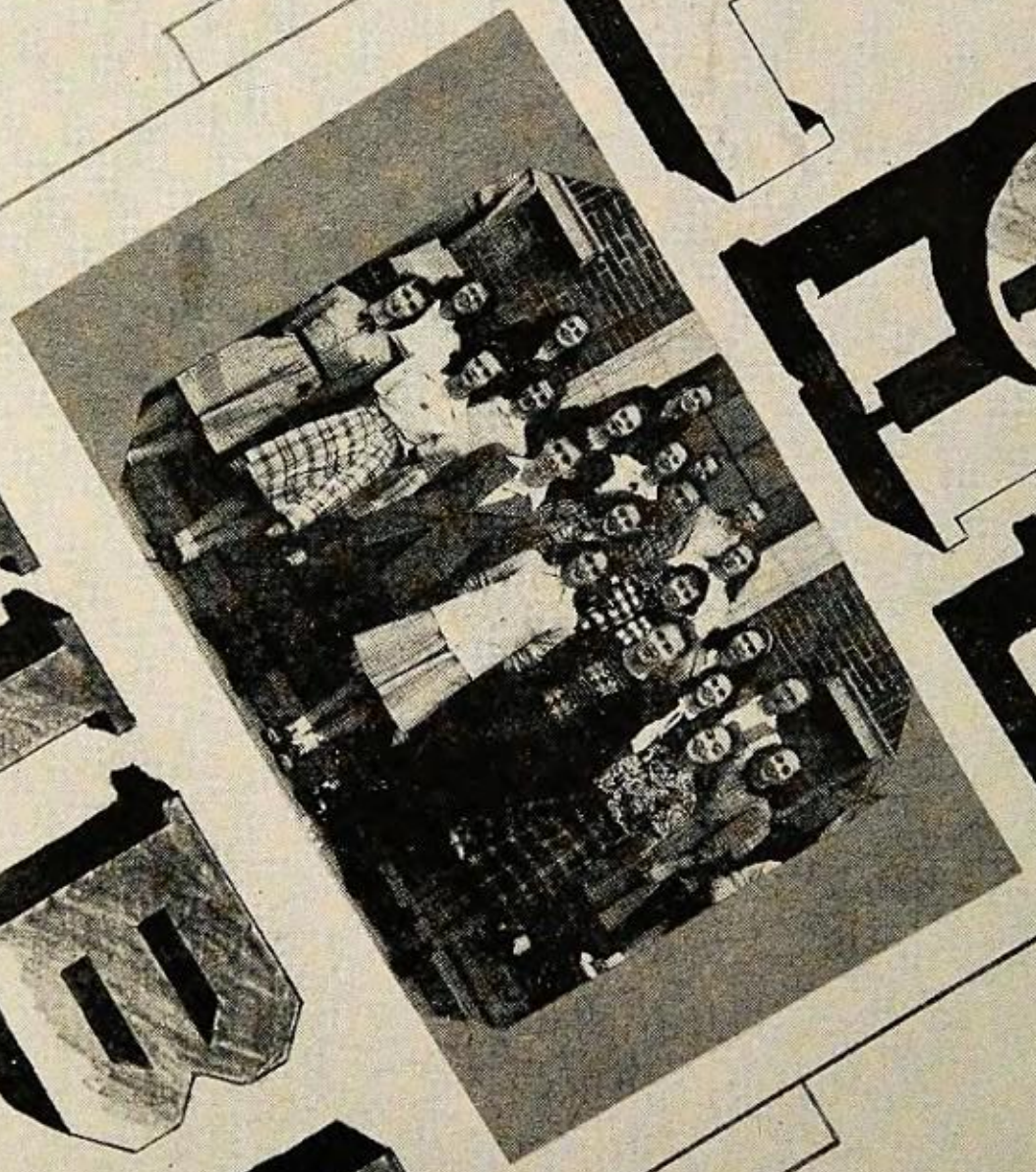

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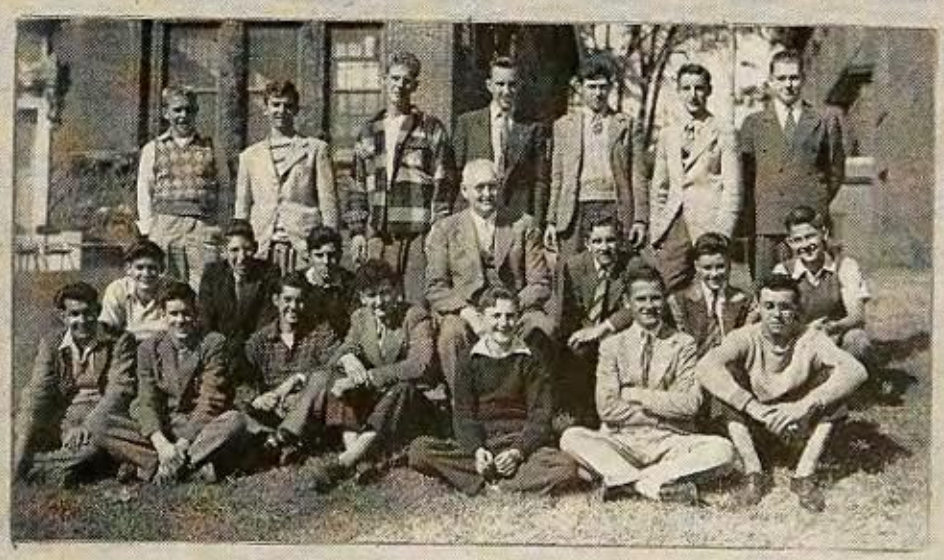

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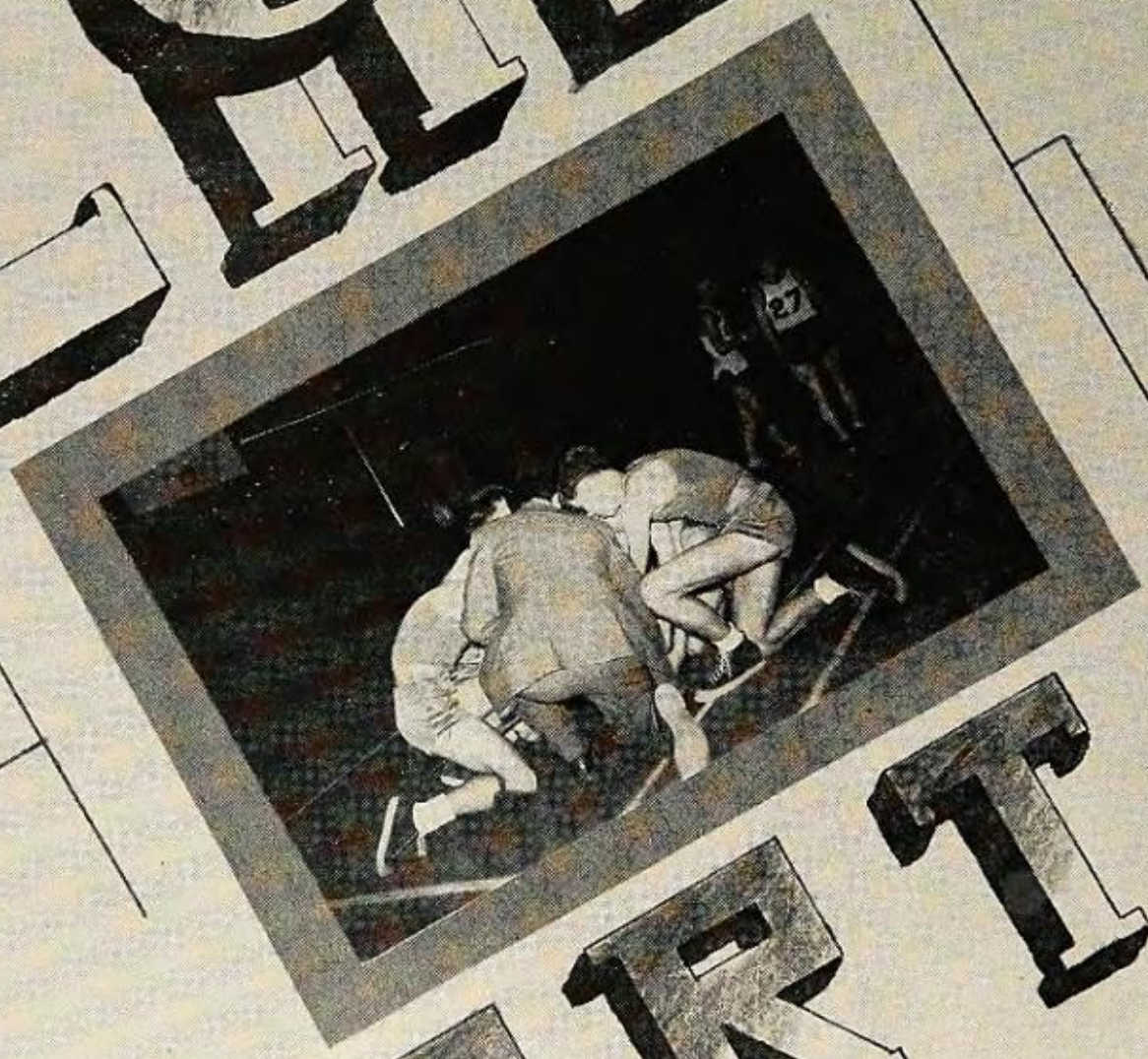

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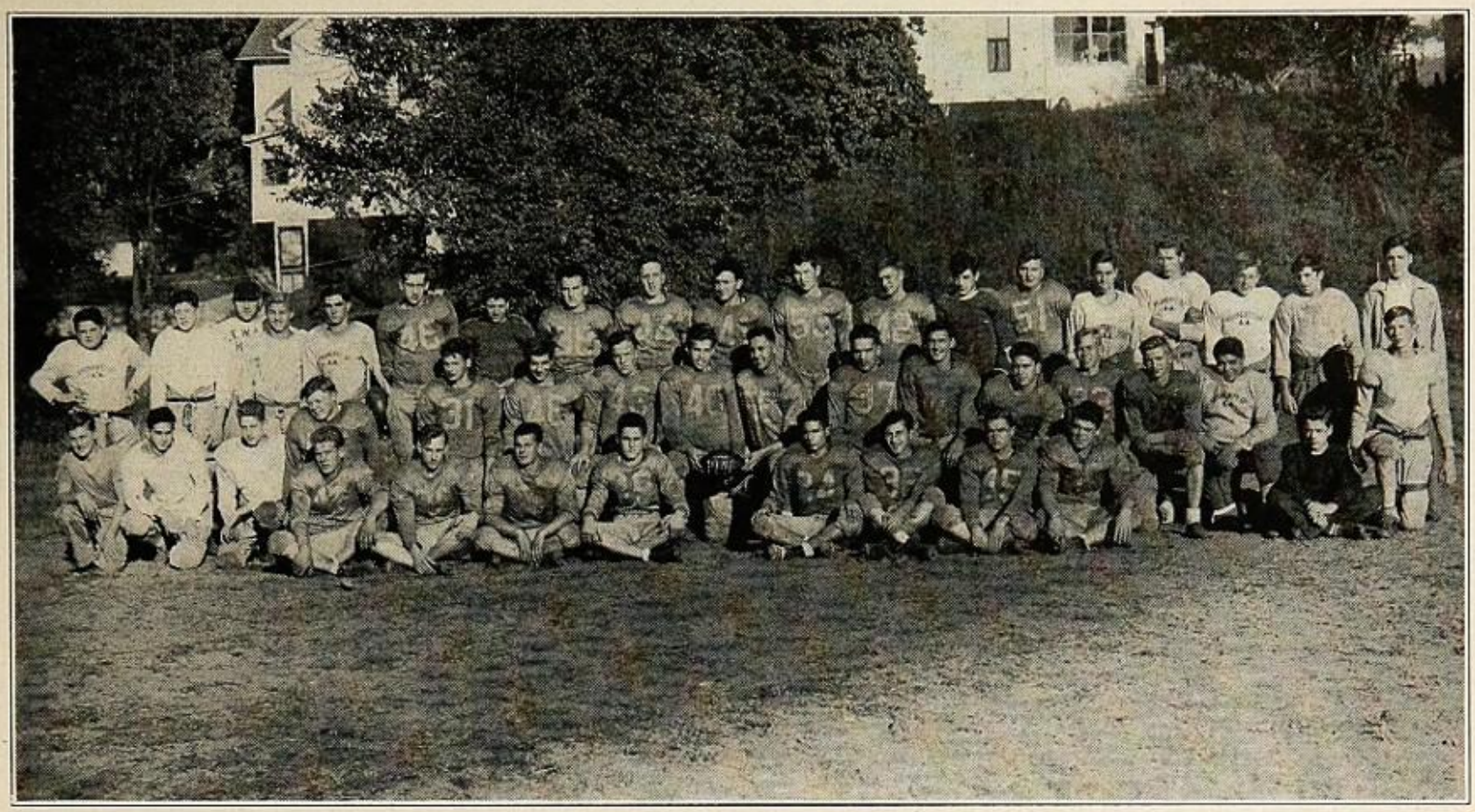

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SCORES

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Lewis	39	Simsbury	0
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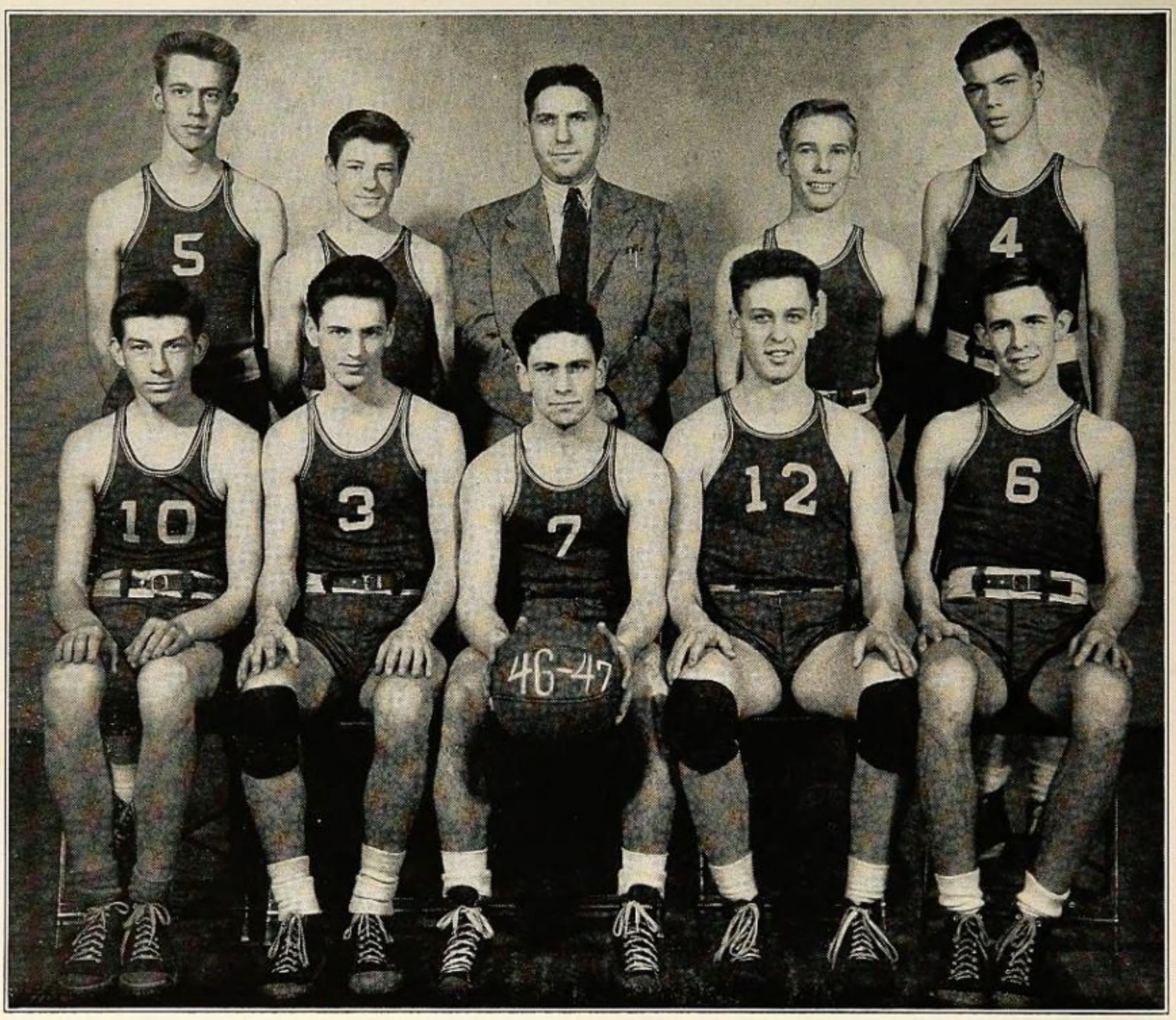

BASKETBALL TEAM

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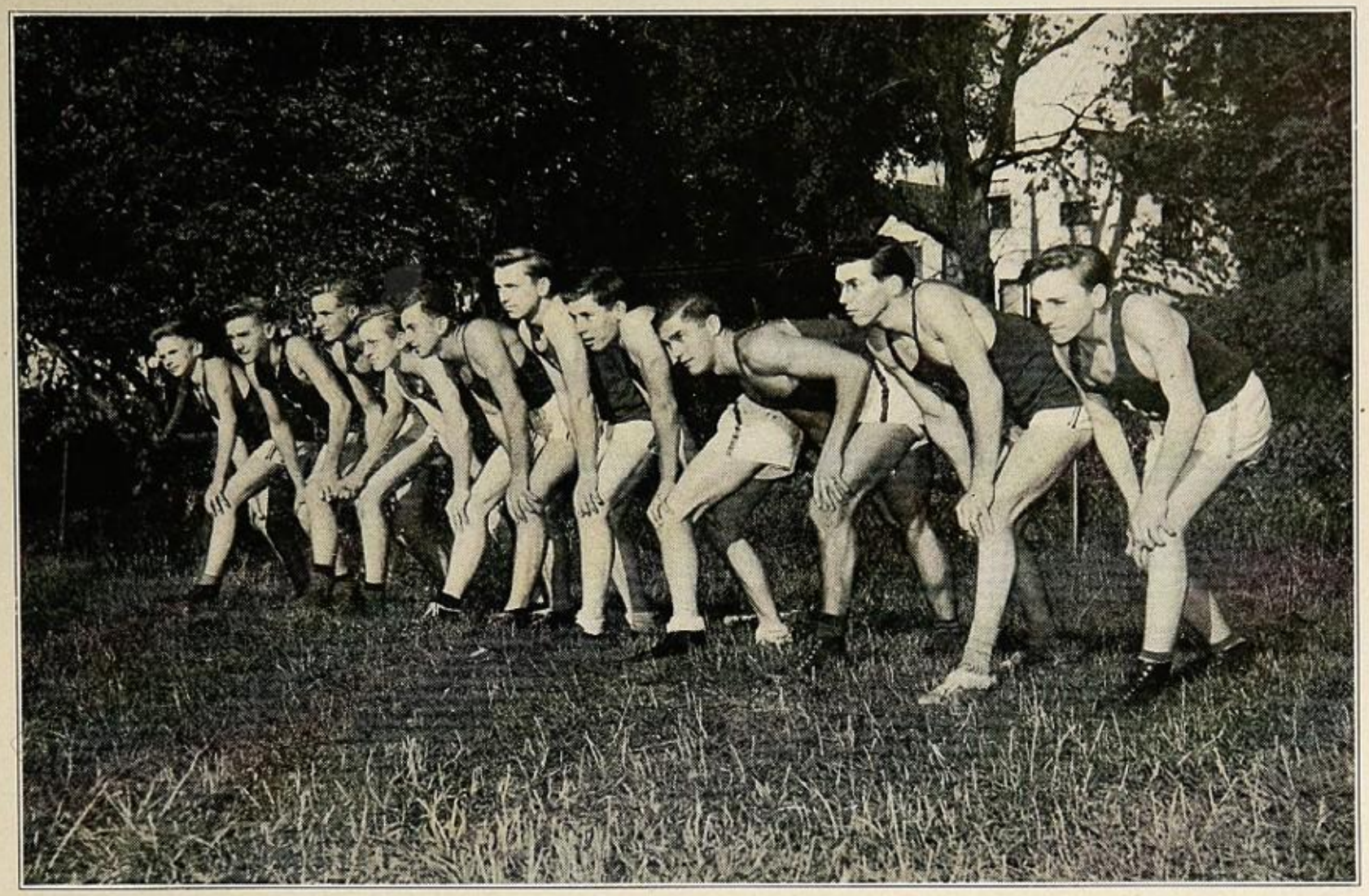
Captain — Tony Feola

Forwards — Robert Nyren, Daniel Edwards

Centers — Walter Knapp, David Gioia

Guards — Robert Chalmers, Tony Feola

Fred Nyren, Richard Badgley, Jack Lotz, William Strong



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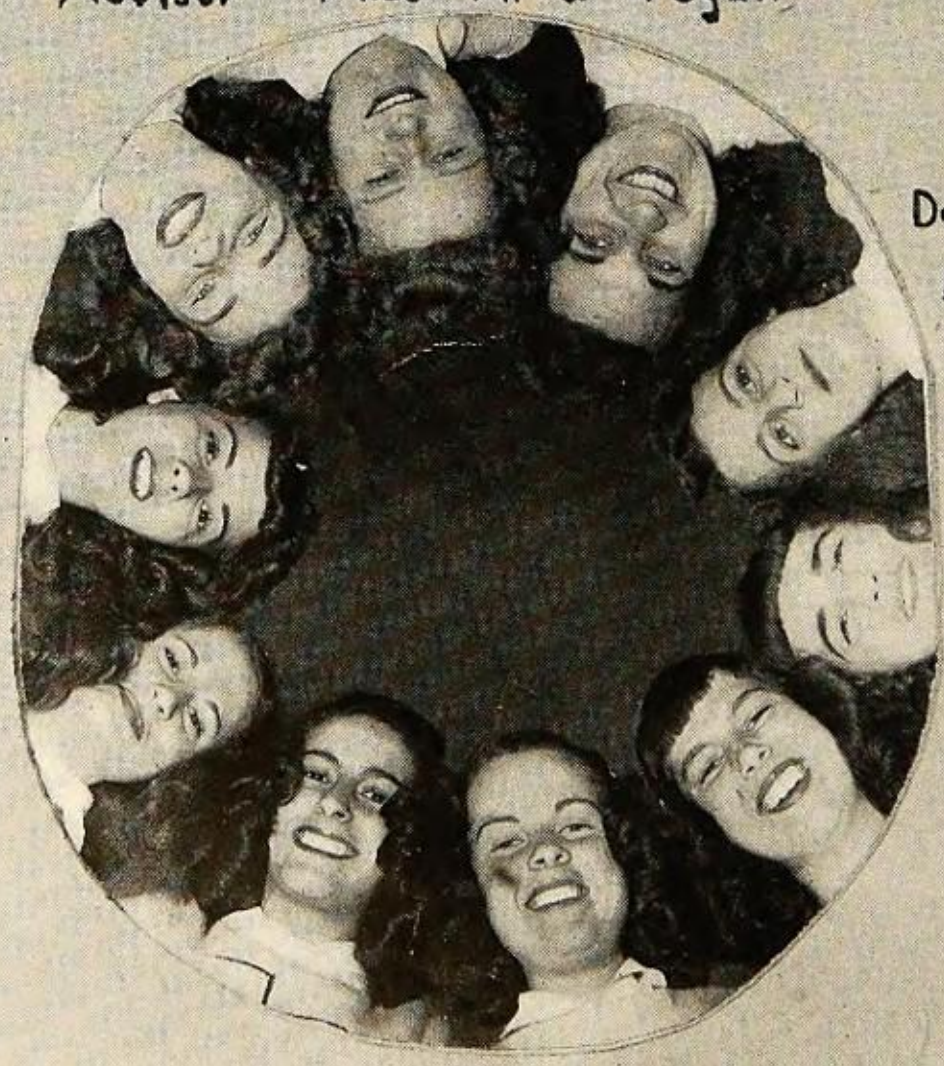

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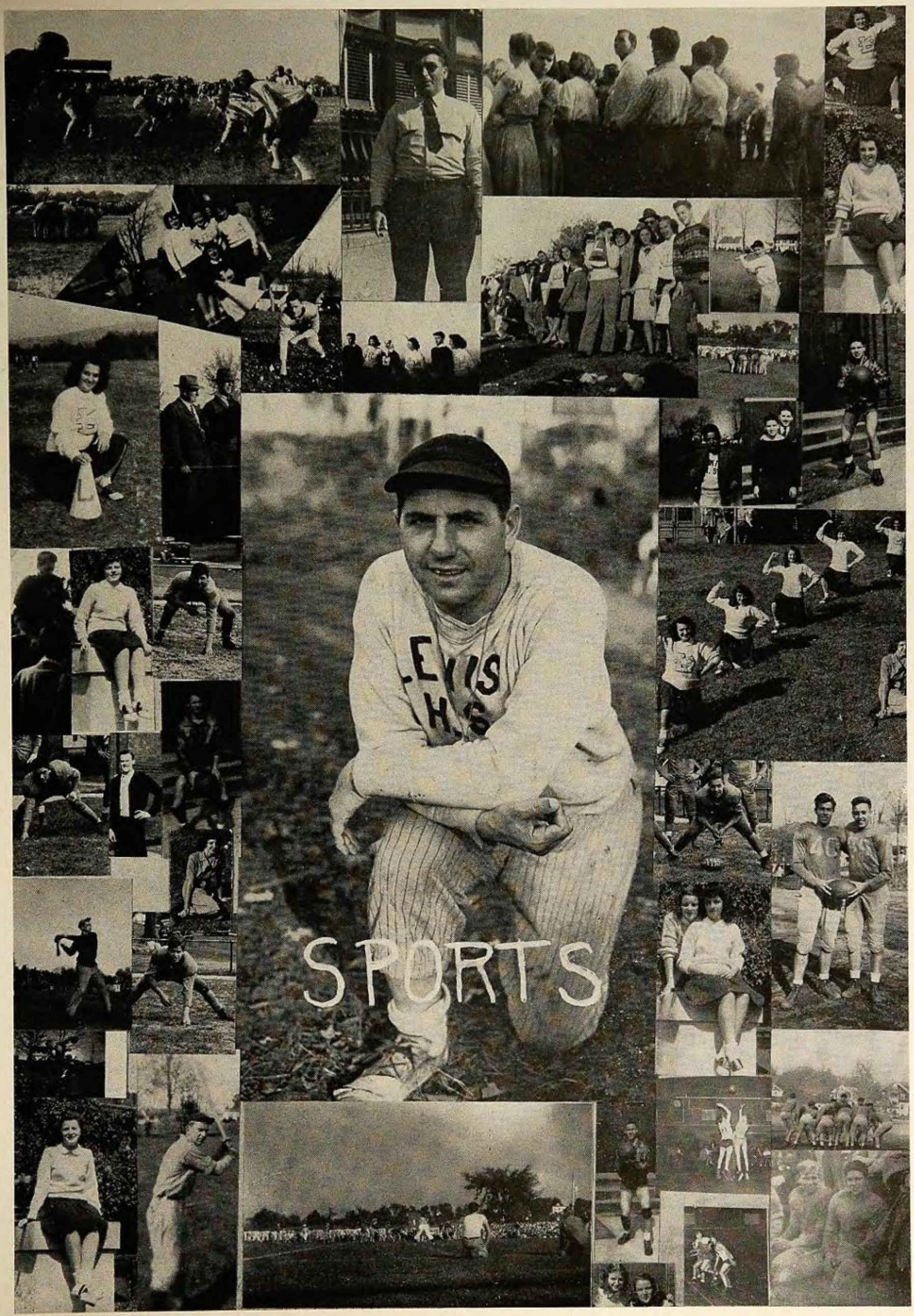
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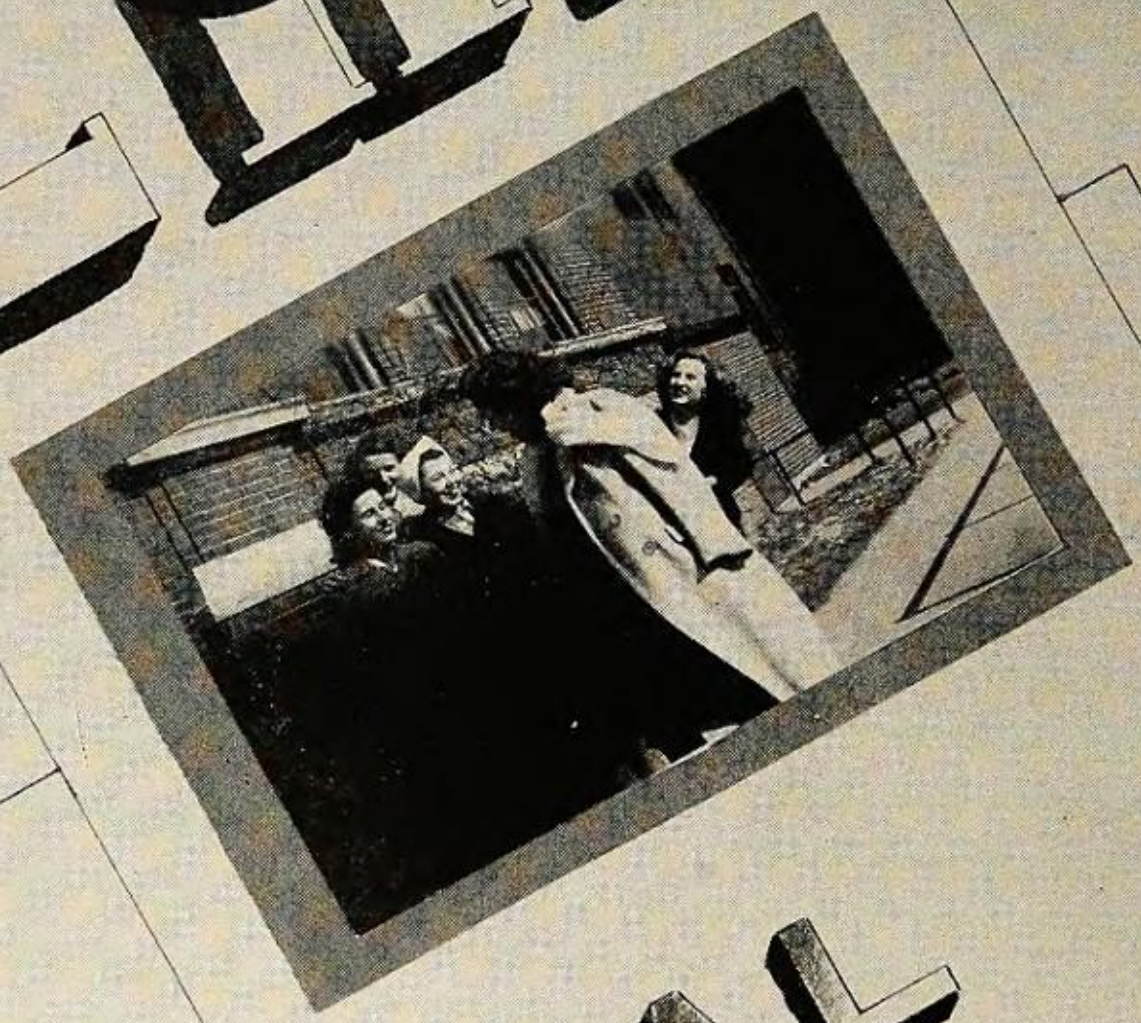

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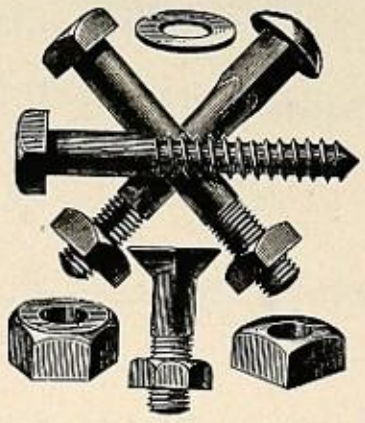

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